

WEATHER FORECAST
Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or gales, mostly easterly and southerly, unsettled and mild, with rain.
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds, fresh to high on the Gulf, unsettled and mild with rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Royal—Out of a Clear Sky.
Fantasies—Vaudeville.
Dominion—The Hun Within.
Princess—Red Cross Co.

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PEACE CONGRESS IS FORMALLY OPENED IN PARIS

AIMS OF THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS ARE DECLARED THE SAME

British Hope a New and Complete Working Agreement With United States Will Be One of Results of Peace Congress Which Started To-Day

Paris, Jan. 18.—Careful investigation here has made it possible to give more concretely an outline of the war claims of Great Britain and her general desires regarding the making of peace.

The British aims, the unofficial representation of them shows, are regarded as in general coinciding with those of the United States delegation. There are some minor differences regarding the final adjustment of the world's affairs. On the whole, however, the aims of the two nations are considered by British commentators as identical.

Great Britain believes first, it is declared, that a League of Nations is desirable and attainable, and that none of the British war aims will be considered practicable unless they conform with the tenets of such a League.

She also believes that things should be so adjusted that the war aims of every country will conform with those of the others, or in other words, that there should be a compact of give and take.

As to indemnities, Great Britain expects to enter a pool with other nations. Her claims are comparatively small. It is said, but she wants her air raid damage and her shipping losses paid for.

In addition to the League of Nations, one of the great things which Great Britain hopes will grow out of the Peace Conference, it is apparent, is a thorough, good, working agreement with the United States. Great importance is attached to this.

CONTROVERSY OVER A PRESS DISPATCH

Paris Correspondent of New York Tribune Repeated Paris Rumor

Paris, Jan. 18.—Premier Clemenceau in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday gave a warning against false reports concerning the Peace Conference, citing as an instance a cablegram addressed to The New York Tribune. "I saw yesterday a telegram addressed to The New York Tribune," he said, "in which it was said President Wilson had threatened to withdraw all his troops and himself retire if certain stipulations of his were not granted. When I showed this telegram to Mr. Wilson this morning, he replied to me: 'What an abominable falsehood!'"

Tribune's Statement.
New York, Jan. 18.—The following statement was issued by The New York Tribune last night: "At 11:30 a. m. Friday, January 17, The New York Tribune issued a statement denying that it had ever received from Paris, or had ever printed in its columns, a statement remotely resembling that which was referred to by Premier Clemenceau in the French Chamber of Deputies. At 2:30 p. m. there was received in The Tribune Office what appeared to be the message in question. Owing to the fact that it has been made the basis of controversy, The Tribune prints it just as the correspondent sent it."

"Paris, Jan.—Among the many sensational rumors habitually afloat in (Concluded on page 4.)"

SENATOR HUMBERT EXONERATED AFTER INQUIRIES IN FRANCE

Paris, Jan. 18.—(Havas.)—Investigations have established the falsity of accusations made against Charles Humbert, who was charged with communicating to Germany the contents of two documents relative to the national defense.

PERFECT ORDER IS STATED TO PREVAIL NOW IN MONTENEGRO

Washington, Jan. 18.—The Serbian Legation here has issued a statement denying that Montenegrins have revolted against the Serbian troops occupying Montenegro. News received at the Legation only a few days ago said perfect order prevailed throughout the little country.

The Montenegrin Legation here announced on Thursday night that it had been informed that some 20,000 inhabitants in Montenegro had revolted against the Serbian forces, occupying several towns.

Gun With a Range of 50 Miles Was Built by British

London, Jan. 18 (British Wireless Service).—A big gun, expected to be of even greater power than "Big Bertha," was among the secret production of the Sheffield cannon works. It became known today. This gun, which, it is said, was intended to bombard Rhine towns, was about eighty-three feet long, its weight, presumably mounted, is given as 134 tons. It was stated officially that the cannon would fire a shell a distance of fifty miles.

GRANDMOTHER OF RUSSIAN REVOLUTION ARRIVES ON BOARD ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP

Catherine Breshko Breshkovskaya, known as the "Grandmother of the Russian Revolution," was a passenger aboard the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kamo Maru, which made port early this afternoon from Yokohama. Mme. Breshkovskaya, who is en route from Russia to Washington, D. C., has spent fifty years of the seventy-five years of her life working for what she believed to be the betterment of her native country. Thirty of these years she has spent in various Russian prisons, and as a political exile in the black Siberian penal institutions.

Born of well-to-do and educated parents, she early evinced an ardent interest in the condition of the people about her. Their ignorance and condition of semi-slavery aroused in her the determination to do what she could for their betterment, and this has been the keynote of her efforts ever since. Her activity was unremitting and of a practical kind, including lectures and raising of money for the purpose of education.

Anti-Imperialist.
As an anti-imperialist, she was in the United States on a lecture during 1895. When the first revolution broke out in Russia at that time she immediately cancelled all her engagements and returned to that country to render what aid she could to the movement. Again she came to America, just prior to the outbreak of the great war and lectured in all of the larger cities of the country, including New York, Chicago and San Francisco. With Russia embroiled, she believed the situation there again demanded her presence. In the general arrest of all those who were suspected of having revolutionary tendencies, Mme. Breshkovskaya was included and deported to Siberia.

Triumphal Returns.
Her liberation came with the downfall of the Romanoff dynasty. All political exiles were set free and asked to return. Roads leading out of Siberia were filled with these released prisoners. As a mark of special attention, Mme. Breshkovskaya was provided with a special train. Her return was a triumphal return to Petrograd. As she passed through its streets crowds were lined up to do her homage while little children strewed her pathway with flowers.

Then followed the day when Premier Kerensky was endeavoring to bring order out of chaos. To his cause Mme. Breshkovskaya gave every ounce of her effort and support. With the downfall of the Kerensky regime and the rise of Bolshevism under the leadership of Lenin and Trotsky, for which she had no tolerance, Mme. Breshkovskaya disappeared from public view. Many rumors of her assassination or death were current.

In an interview Mme. Breshkovskaya said: "Neither Bolshevism nor Monarchism can rule Russia. An elected Government is our hope, the people never will consent to anything but the constituent assembly. The Bolsheviki beyond the Urals and the Monarchists who now are in power at Omsk must go."

Mme. Breshkovskaya has many friends on this continent as the result of her previous visits. They are professors, social workers and men and women who were students when she was in this country on her first visit thirteen years ago. She knows Jane Addams and has lived in Hull House. One of her early American friends was Arthur Bullard, now head of the Russian division of the American Committee on Public Information.

BULGARS DETAINING GREEK CHILDREN ARE TO BE PROSECUTED

Sofia, Jan. 17.—(Via London, Jan. 18.)—Under pressure of the Allies, the Bulgarian Government has ordered that charges be preferred against any people who are detaining Greek boys and girls who were carried away from Eastern Macedonia during the war.

JOHN R. SILLIMAN DIES IN MEXICO

Washington, Jan. 18.—John R. Silliman, United States consul at Guadalajara, who figured prominently as a representative of the American Government during the Huerta regime in Mexico, died at Guadalajara yesterday noon.

PHILIPPINES WANT FULL INDEPENDENCE IN POLITICAL FIELD

Seattle, Jan. 18.—Complete political independence is desired by the Philippine Islands, Manuel L. Quezon, President of the Philippine Senate, declared in a statement issued here today. Quezon, who was the Philippine delegate to Congress from 1910 to 1917, arrived here yesterday on a honeymoon tour.

"We want freedom," he said. "The United States, however, has been so just and so honorable in dealing with the Philippines that it would be ungrateful for us to bring up the matter during the present emergency."

CLAIM NOW IS MADE LIEBKNECHT DID NOT ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

London, Jan. 18.—Independent Socialists at Berlin assert that Dr. Karl Liebknecht, who was shot and killed on Thursday, did not attempt to escape from an escort of troops, but was shot through the forehead at a few paces distant by soldiers guarding him, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph.

The Freiheit, of Berlin, is calling upon workers there to begin a general strike, it is reported.

TROTSKY'S BROTHERS ARE IN SWITZERLAND; ESCAPED FROM FRANCE

Geneva, Jan. 17.—(Via London, Jan. 18.)—The Swiss newspapers announce that two brothers of Leon Trotsky, the Russian Bolshevik Minister of War and Marine, who were interned in France, escaped into Switzerland yesterday near Delmont, after shooting and wounding a French soldier. The younger of the brothers has been arrested.

WILSON TO VIEW RUIN CAUSED BY GERMANS IN FRANCE

Paris, Jan. 18.—President Wilson will avail himself of the first opportunity between the meetings of the peace delegations to visit the devastated regions of France.

A FIGHT AGAINST INFLUENZA MASKS

San Francisco, Jan. 18.—Representatives of organizations of citizens opposed to the mask-wearing ordinance which was passed as a measure to check influenza, met last night and formed the Anti-Mask League. The announced purpose of the League is to "oppose by all lawful means" the compulsory wearing of masks.

RAID IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 18.—Four men were arrested and a quantity of literature seized in a police raid on the alleged Chinese headquarters of the L. W. W. in Chinatown here last night.

FEW SITTINGS OF MAIN BODY OF GREAT PEACE CONFERENCE

Paris, Jan. 18.—All questions at issue, of whatever kind, will be settled by the Allied delegates before the enemy delegates arrive to attend the Peace Congress. As regards Russia, it is held that the five leading powers have agreed that her representation by any Russian element is impossible for the moment.

As to the other questions before the Congress, territorial, financial and economic, apart from the League of Nations, the order of their consideration will be indicated in the rules of procedure, which will be read by Premier Clemenceau as President of the Congress. It is understood that the method of work will be such that each delegation will record its opinion on each question in a memorandum which

PRESIDENT POINCARÉ DELIVERS ADDRESS AT OPENING SESSION OF THE WORLD PEACE CONGRESS

SALLE DE LA PAIX SCENE OF SESSIONS

Chamber in Paris Where Peace Congress Meets a Splendid One

Paris, Jan. 18.—The Salle d'Hortage, where the Peace Congress is meeting, has been rechristened the Salle de la Paix. It is one of the most splendid reception rooms in Europe.

First to catch the eye of the plenipotentiaries entering the hall stands a statue of Peace, holding aloft the torch of civilization. This heroic marble figure stands directly behind the table of Premier Clemenceau of France, the presiding officer.

In front of the statue is spread the council table, covered with the traditional green baize of diplomacy. This table is in the form of a huge horseshoe. Across the upper end are nine seats of honor, for the presiding officer, the vice-presidents and Premiers. On each side of the two arms of the horseshoe there are fifteen seats, making sixty seats besides the nine at the head of the table. Each delegate's chair is upholstered in bright red leather, and before each place is a complete equipment of writing materials.

The fittings of the room are in white and gold, with a frescoed ceiling bordered by dancing cupids. Four great lustre chandeliers hang from the ceiling, while five large windows, looking out over the Seine River, cast a flood of light throughout the apartment.

Leading from the council room is another chamber overlooking the gardens, where the delegates can retire for consultations. A large table at one end suggests that refreshments will be served there to the delegates.

Further on is a gorgeous state dining room where luncheon and dinner may be served to the delegates in case protracted sessions are held. The whole suite of rooms is suggestive of elegance and beauty, and the artistic taste of the French.

URGING SALE OF BEER BE ALLOWED

People's Moderation Party, Launched at Vancouver, Wants Law Changed

Vancouver, Jan. 18.—Representing all classes of business and professional life, there were between eighty and 100 persons present at the meeting of the People's Moderation Party held here yesterday afternoon in the Citizens' Club. For an hour and a half discussion of the present prohibition measure took place, and the view was generally expressed that this Act should be wiped out and a temperance measure substituted allowing the sale of beer and light wines, but not permitting the return of the bar.

The intention is to form branches of the party throughout the province embracing every community, and later a temperance bill will be drafted and presented to the Government with the petition that it take the place of the present Prohibition Act.

Organization.
The meeting appointed a small committee to organize the preliminary work of the movement, and to appoint (Concluded on page 4.)

Crowds Assembled in Vicinity of Foreign Office in Paris; Delegates Passed Into Conference Chamber Through Double File of Soldiers

Paris, Jan. 18.—The Peace Conference was formally opened this afternoon with a speech by President Poincaré of France, who thanked the Allied nations for having chosen Paris for their important work and praised the valor of the Allied armies, which had preserved the capital of France from the enemy. The President's speech was as follows:

"Gentlemen:
"France greets and thanks you for having chosen as the seat of your labors the city which for more than four years the enemy made his principal military objective and which the valor of the Allied armies victoriously defended against unceasingly renewed offensives."

"Permit me to see in your decision the homage of all the nations that you represent toward a country which more than any other has endured the sufferings of war, of which entire provinces have been transformed into a vast battlefield and have been systematically laid waste by the invader, and which has paid the human tribute in death."

Sacrifices Borne.
"France has borne these enormous sacrifices although she had not the slightest responsibility for the frightful catastrophe which overwhelmed the universe. And at the moment when the cycle of horror is ending all the powers whose delegates are assembled here may acquit themselves of any share in the crime which has resulted in so unprecedented a disaster. What gives you the authority to establish a peace of justice is the fact that none of the peoples of whom you are the delegates had any part in the injustice. Humanity can place confidence in you because you are not among those who have outraged the rights of humanity."

Truth Known.
"There is no need of further information or of special inquiries into the origin of the drama which has just shaken the world. The truth, bathed in blood, already has escaped from the imperial archives. The premeditated character of the trap is to-day clearly proved."
"In the hope of conquering first the hegemony of Europe and next the mastery of the world, the Central Empires, bound together by a plot, found the most abominable of pretexts for trying to crush Serbia and force their way to the East. At the same time they disowned the most solemn undertaking in order to crush Belgium and force their way into the heart of France."

Britain, France and Russia.
"These are the two unforgettable outrages which opened the way to aggression. The combined efforts of Great Britain, France and Russia were exerted against that man-made arrogance."

"If, after long vicissitudes those who wished to reign by the sword have perished by the sword, they have only themselves to blame. They have been destroyed by their own blindness."

"What could be more significant than the shameful bargains they attempted to offer to Great Britain and France at the end of July, 1914, when to Great Britain they suggested: 'Allow me to attack France on land and will not you enter the Channel,' and when they instructed their Ambassador to say to France: 'We will only accept a declaration of neutrality on your part if you surrender to us the colonies of the Congo, Belgium, and in light of these things, gentlemen, what all the conclusions you will have to draw will take shape.'"

"Your nations came one and all to the help of threatened Belgium. Like Germany, Great Britain had guaranteed the independence of Belgium. Germany sought to crush Belgium. Great Britain and France both swore to save her."

Two Ideas.
"Thus, from the beginning of hostilities there came into conflict the two ideas which for fifty months were to struggle for the domination of the world—the idea of sovereign force, which accepts neither control nor check, and the idea of justice, which depends on the sword only to prevent or repress abuse of strength."

"Fidelity supported by her Dominions, Great Britain decided she could not remain aloof from the struggle. Japan, in her turn, only decided to take up arms out of loyalty to Great Britain, her great ally, and from the consciousness of the danger in which both Asia and Europe would have stood of the hegemony of which the Germanic Empires dreamed."

"Italy arose against an age-long foe only to answer the call of oppressed populations and to destroy an artificial political combination which took no account of human liberty."

Roumania.
"Roumania resolved to fight only to realize that national unity which was opposed by the same arbitrary force. Abandoned, betrayed and strangled, she had to submit to an abominable treaty, the revision of which you will exact."
"Greece, whom the enemy for months tried to turn from her traditions and

destinies, raised an army only to escape attempts at domination.
"Portugal, China and Siam abandoned neutrality only to escape strangling pressure."

United States.
"Thus it was the extent of the German ambitions that brought so many peoples, great and small, to align themselves against the same adversary. And what shall I say of the solemn reasons taken by the United States in the spring of 1917, under the auspices of her illustrious President, Mr. Wilson, whom I am happy to greet here in the name of grateful France, and if you will allow me to say so, gentlemen, in the name of all the nations represented in this room."

"What shall I say of the many other American powers which either declared themselves against Germany—Brazil, Cuba, Panama, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Haiti, Honduras—or at least broke off diplomatic relations—Bolivia, Peru, Ecuador, Uruguay? From the north to the south the New World arose with indignation when it saw the Empires of Central Europe, after having let loose the war without provocation, carry it on with fire, pillage and massacre."

A World Event.
"The intervention of the United States was something more, something greater than a great political and military event. It was a supreme judgment passed by the lofty conscience of a free people on the enormous responsibilities incurred in the frightful conflict."

"It was not only to protect itself from the audacious aims of German megalomania that the United States equipped fleets and created immense armies, but also, and above all, to defend (Concluded on page 4.)"

A BRIDGEHEAD IN STRASBOURG REGION

Under New Armistice Terms Allies Reserve Right to Occupy Area

Paris, Jan. 18.—The agreement for the renewal of the German armistice signed by Marshal Foch, Admiral Browning and the German Armistice Commissioners on Thursday provides for the renewal of the armistice from time to time after the month for which the extension runs, until the conclusion of peace, subject to the approval of the Allied Governments.

The principal terms of the renewal are substantially as has been reported. In addition, there is a clause by which the Allied command reserves the right to occupy that part of the Strasbourg defenses comprised by the forts on the eastern bank of the Rhine and a strip of territory from three to six miles beyond.

Farm Implements.
Other clauses provide for the substitution for supplementary railway material large quantities of industrial and agricultural implements, and give control of the Russian prisoners in Germany to Allied delegates for repatriation.

The naval clauses provide that all submarines must be turned over to the Allies, including all submarine cruisers, mine-layers, sweepers, salvage ships and floating docks for submarines. They also stipulate that the building of all submarines in Germany must cease and those on the stocks must be dismantled or destroyed under Allied supervision.

Ships.
Germany undertakes to turn over all Allied ships still detained in German ports. The clause providing that Germany shall place her mercantile marine at the disposal of the Allies in return for food supplies says that the agreement in no way affects the final disposal of those ships.



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GERMANS REFUSE TO DEAL WITH TWO ALLIED OFFICERS

London, Jan. 18.—A dispatch received here from Warsaw says: The Germans have refused to receive at Bialystok Col. Wade, of the British army, and Lieut. Reginald Foster, a political agent of the American Peace

Commission, who went to Lapy, on the Polish frontier, to confer with the commander of the German Tenth Army. It was their object to persuade the Germans to hold the frontier against the Bolsheviks.

Col. Wade and Lieut. Foster received the reply that if they should attempt to pass over the frontier they would be regarded as enemies by the German sentinels.
Wade and Foster have reported the action of the Germans to their respective Governments.

SPOKE OF SIBERIA AND RAILWAY LINES

Japanese Foreign Minister Addressed Party Leaders on Agreement With Allies

Tokio, Jan. 17.—(Associated Press.)—Viscount Uchida, the Foreign Minister, dined with party leaders of the lower House last night for the purpose of anticipating interpellations in the Diet. The Foreign Minister showed no desire to reveal complete details of the plans concerning the Siberian railways, pending a decision as to their practical operation, but he assured the gathering that a complete understanding had been reached with the United States regarding Japan's proximity and to relations with Siberia. Japan stood in the same position as the United States toward Mexico.
The Chinese Eastern Railway rights would be returned to Russia, the Minister declared, but would be exercised under an Allied committee on which the American and Japanese representation would be the largest. Press comments on Viscount Uchida's address to the party leaders are favorable.

ALBERTA VETERANS ELECT OFFICERS

Lethbridge, Jan. 18.—The Alberta branch of the Great War Veterans' Association elected the following officers at its convention here: President, E. C. McKenzie, Lethbridge; first vice-president, G. W. Walstell, Calgary; second vice-president, W. Irwin, Edmonton; executive, J. Bruce, Medicine Hat; T. Longworth, Lethbridge; S. G. Rand, Calgary; I. Stewart Irwin, Edmonton, and R. W. Alcock, Red Deer. The convention will meet at Stettler next year.
Captain McKenzie, the new President, was the overseas paymaster of the brigade of which the 39th Battery was a part. He saw service in France, and was injured in an accident, returning to Lethbridge last year.

More than 18,000 dogs are serving on British battlefields.

LAND SETTLEMENT FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Conditions Under Which Dominion Gives Loan of \$2,500

Ottawa, January 18.—Under the Soldiers' Settlement Act, repatriation of returned soldiers is aided by making it easy for them to adopt farming as a permanent vocation. The Soldiers' Settlement Board administers the Act.
Land grants to returned men are given not as rewards, but as privileges to those who wish to farm as a life work. It is essential that the soldier settle on the land and produce crops in order to secure the benefits of the Act.
The Act offers a loan up to \$2,500 to the returned men to get land, discharge encumbrances, undertake improvements, erect buildings and buy the necessary stock, machinery and equipment. The loan is at five per cent, repayable in twenty equal annual instalments, the first two being deferrable. Advances are made not in cash, but in the form of payment for material and equipment.

This loan provision applies to all lands everywhere in Canada. The use of private and Provincial lands on a large scale awaits the completion of arrangements with the Provincial Governments. The returned men are given a decided priority in the matter of industrial lands.

A soldier on active service holding Dominion land as homestead pre-emption or purchased homestead is protected in his entry. A returned soldier holding such entry is eligible for the \$2,500 loan on the same terms as if the land were privately owned. He is also eligible to secure a free entry for another quarter section.

All Dominion lands in the Western Provinces within fifteen miles from transportation have been reserved for returned men.

W. J. Black is the new chairman of the Soldiers' Settlement Board. That Board arranges for short courses in practical farming to soldier settlers who have not had experience. The Dominion Experimental Farms, Provincial Departments of Agriculture, Agricultural Colleges and the Khaki University are being used in this connection. The Board supervises the administration of loans. It makes use of the Survey Branch and the Dominion Lands Branch of the Department of the Interior to survey land, determine what lands are open for entry and render other services for the returned men. It also secures the proper equipment for the returned man on his farm venture. Its experts will help to draw plans for his buildings and advise him as to purchases.

The Board has a supervisor in the field for each Province. These nine supervisors have a competent staff to value the land, to advise the returned man in his training and in his farming. Two honorary boards advise the supervisors, one in regard to financial assistance and the other in regard to the capacity of the applicant for a loan under the Board.

Up to date loans have been approved to 975 returned men, aggregating \$1,239,685. One hundred and sixty-two loan applications are under consideration at present. Since the Board was instituted 675 soldier entries have been granted on Dominion Crown lands.

DR. TOLMIE HEAD OF LIVESTOCK UNION

Brandon, Man., Jan. 18.—Dr. J. G. Rutherford, C. M. G., declared at the annual meeting of the Western Canada Livestock Union that it would be impossible for him to occupy the office of president for another year. His statement was accepted with the greatest regret.
Dr. S. F. Tolmie, M. P. for Victoria, B. C., was elected president for 1919, and Dr. Rutherford is honorary president.

A. D. Patterson, British Columbia, was elected a vice-president.
The next annual meeting will be held at Victoria.

WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Regina, Jan. 18.—Mrs. G. Shulman was found guilty yesterday of the murder of her husband at Yorkton and was sentenced to be hanged on April 22.

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ALLIED BLOCKADE WILL BE CONTINUED

British Admiralty Not Planning to Lift Barriers Hemming Germany In

London, Jan. 18.—The Admiralty has no immediate intention of granting a relaxation of its strict blockade against Germany, the Central News Agency says.

Foch Speaks.

London, Jan. 18.—A dispatch filed at Treves while Marshal Foch was there to arrange the terms for the extension of the Armistice with Germany says that it is the conviction of Marshal Foch that the Rhine must be made the barrier between Germany and France.

Marshal Foch pointed out the difficulties that had been overcome, and said that peace must be commensurate with the price of victory.
Germany now was beaten, he added, but with her resources, especially in men, recuperation in a comparatively short time was quite possible. It was now the duty of the Allies to prevent further aggressions.
The armistice had not been concluded so soon, and the Allies had got all they asked for from Germany without continuing the fighting.

The Marshal said, had been prepared for another offensive stroke which would have forced the Germans to give up. This was in have been made in Lorraine on November 14.

Armistice Terms.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The Havas Agency yesterday announced the signing of the new clauses of the armistice with Germany as they stood concerning the surrender of German submarines ready for sea and the destruction of the submarines in the course of construction which the Allied Commissioners discovered in German ports in December.

The clause placing the German merchant fleet at the disposal of the Allies also was signed.

Farm Implements.

Berlin, Jan. 17.—Via London, Jan. 18.—Under the terms of the prolongation of the armistice, Germany must deliver to the Allies by February 17 some 58,000 agricultural machines of various kinds. As a guarantee for the

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FOOD SITUATION AT VIENNA GROWS WORSE

Vienna, Jan. 17, via London, Jan. 18.—The authorities contemplate the institution of meatless weeks owing to the almost certain cessation of meat imports.
Recently the bread ration was cut in half. Potatoes are virtually unobtainable.
The situation is causing consternation among the population.

ALBERTA LIBERALS URGE BANK CHANGES

Calgary, Jan. 18.—After listening to W. B. Motherwell, who told the delegates he was glad to be out of office because he could now say what he pleased, the delegates to the Alberta Liberal Convention yesterday passed a resolution urging the passage by Parliament of a national bank act authorizing the chartering of local national banks "with power to issue bank currency, by first depositing with the Minister of Finance Dominion Government bonds to the extent of the full amount of the banknotes issued or ten per cent. in excess of the amount of notes to be issued—all national banks to be organized with paid-up capital of \$50,000 or more and to be without power to establish branches."

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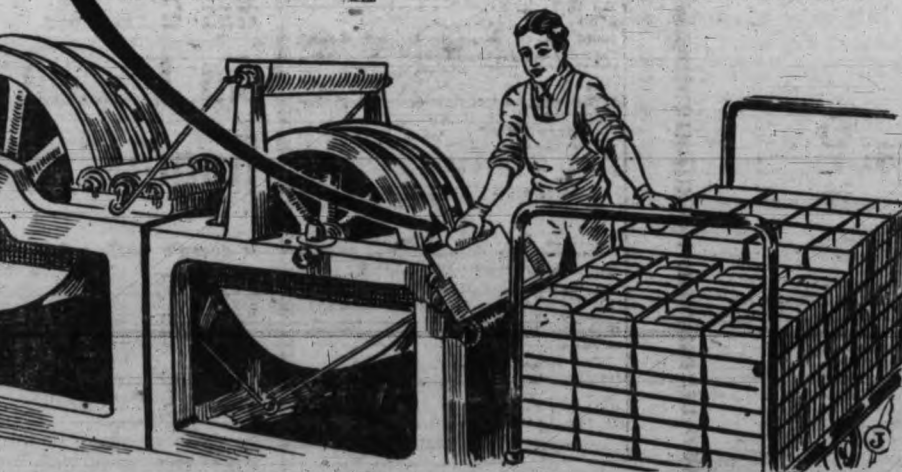
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REPORTING OF WORK OF PEACE CONGRESS

Correspondents to Be Admitted but Some Sessions to Be Secret

Paris, Jan. 18.—The following official communication dealing with the Peace Conference, was issued last evening:

"The Prime Ministers and Foreign Ministers of the great Allied Powers and the President of the United States, assisted by the Japanese ambassadors in Paris and London, met to-day in the morning from 10:30 to 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon and later in the afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

"The French President of the Council read out the terms of the renewal of the armistice.

"The meeting decided to give Belgium and Serbia three delegates each at the Conference. It was decided also that the King of the Hedjaz should be represented by two delegates. The question of the number of delegates for the various powers was still unsettled.

"The programme for the opening Conference, which will take place at the Foreign Office to-morrow at three o'clock in the afternoon, was afterwards arranged.

"The meeting finally examined into the question of the publicity to be given to the discussions of the Conference, and unanimously approved the following text to be handed to the press in the name of the five great Powers:

"The representatives of the Allied and Associated Powers have given earnest consideration to the question of publicity for the proceedings of the Peace Conference. They are anxious that the public, through the press, should have the fullest information compatible with the safeguarding of the supreme interest of all, together with a just and honorable settlement, with the minimum of delay.

"It is obvious, however, that publicity with regard to the preliminary conversations now proceeding must be subject to the limitation necessarily imposed by the difficult and delicate nature of their object. The proceedings of a Peace Conference are far more analogous to the meetings of a Cabinet than to those of a Legislature. Nobody has ever suggested that Cabinet meetings should be held in public, and if they were so held, the work of Government would become impossible.

"One reason why Cabinet meetings are held in private is in order that differences may be reconciled and agreements reached before the stage of publicity is begun.

"Open Discussion.
"The essence of the democratic method is not that the deliberations of Government be conducted in public, but that the conclusions be subject to the consideration of a popular chamber, and to free and open discussion on the platform and by the press. Representatives of the Allied and Associated Powers are holding conversations in order to solve questions which affect the vital interests of many nations and upon which they may at present hold many diverse views. These deliberations cannot proceed by the method of a majority vote. No nation can be committed except by the free vote of its own delegates. The conclusions arrived at in these consultations, therefore, can only be formed by the difficult process of reaching an agreement among all.

"This vital process would be hindered if the discussion on every disputed question were open, by a public declaration by each delegation of its own national point of view. Such a declaration would in many cases be followed by premature publicity.

"This would be serious enough if it were confined to the controversy between parties within each state. It might be extremely dangerous if, as would often be inevitable, it resulted in controversies between nations.

"More Difficult.
"Moreover, such public declarations would render the give-and-take on the part of the delegates themselves, which is essential to a successful negotiation, a matter of infinitely greater difficulty. It is also extremely important that the settlement should be not only just, but speedy.

"Every belligerent power is anxious for the early conclusion of peace in order that its armies may be demobilized, and that it may return once more to the ways of peace.

"If premature publicity should be given to the negotiations, the proceedings of the Peace Conference would be protracted, and delegates would be forced to speak not only of the business before the convention, but to concern themselves with the controversies which had been raised by the account of their proceeding outside.

"Would Cause Anxiety.
"Finally, there will often be very strong reasons against announcing the conclusions of the conversations as they are arrived at. The representatives of a nation may be willing to give their assent on one point only provided that they receive a concession on another point which has not yet been discussed. It will not be possible to judge of the wisdom and justice of the peace settlement until it can be viewed as a whole, and premature announcements might lead to apprehensions and anxiety as to the ultimate results for which there was no real foundation.

"In calling attention, however, to these necessary limitations of publicity these representatives do not undervalue the importance of carrying public opinion with them in the vast task which confronts them. They recognize that unless public opinion approves of the results of their labors they will be nugatory.

"This reason applies with conclusive force to the present conversations of the great powers.

"Press Admitted.
"With regard to the full Conference the following rule was adopted: The representatives of the press shall be admitted to the meetings of the full Conference, but upon necessary occasions the deliberations of the conference may be held in camera.

"Who can tell me the meaning of leisure?" asked the teacher.

"Please, miss, it's a place where married people repent," replied the youthful novel reader.

MAJOR EDWARDS AT DUNCAN GATHERING

Says He Likes Cowichan and Has Decided to Live There

Duncan, Jan. 17.—There was a fair attendance of ladies and gentlemen at the women's meeting to listen to the advocates of Major Edwards in the Duncan Opera House yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Rutherford was in the chair, and the following ladies and gentlemen were on the platform: Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman, Mrs. Edwards and Major Bapty, Lieut. Col. Goddard, Mr. Saunders, Mr. Douglas James and Major Edwards.

Defining Ability.
The first speaker, Major Bapty, spoke of the work of the C. A. M. C., telling how in action or holding the line the Medical Corps is not represented in the front line. The battalion medical officer establishes his regimental aid post or dressing station behind the battalion in the safest position he can find.

"The personnel of the C.A.M.C. takes the wounded back from the battalion dressing station to the rear. These statements went to prove that the man doing front line work was deserving of more credit than anyone who served with the Army Medical Corps. Returned soldiers, in the nature of things, were not politicians; if they were they would not have volunteered for service, but would have let the other fellow go. How many of the present members in the local Legislature should have gone to the front?" he asked.

Wellington and Edwards.
It had been said that soldiers never make good rulers, and Wellington, the greatest of soldiers and the sorriest of politicians, was cited. "But Edwards is a citizen soldier," he said. The ladies of the audience, Major Bapty stated, would have gone to the front had they been men, and they would not have returned poorer citizens. Their outlook upon life would have broadened, passing through trials and dangers with men from all walks of life and from all parts of the Empire. "Men have had time to think while away, and are heartily sick of petty graft and crookedness, and desire to make the country cleaner and better to live in," concluded the Major.

Brought Out by Gielma.
Cpl. Goddard spoke briefly on the circumstances leading up to Major Edwards' nomination and the difficulty in finding a local returned man who would stand. Major Edwards was approached through Mr. Gielma, who asked him to stand in the interests of the Cowichan G.W.V.A.

At a meeting called by the G.W.V.A. of Cowichan, to which all returned Cowichan men were invited, the nomination of Major Edwards was endorsed, and sixty returned soldiers signed a pledge to support him.

Tipping 'Em Off.
Major Edwards, in a friendly way, asked his audience to look at him well so that they would know him in civilian clothes. If they met him on the road in civilian clothes, they were to stop him and they would find that he was always ready to listen to their way of living and how things were going with them, and to put anything right that he could.

He stated that the Liberal Government had done nothing for the returned soldiers. When the Government had been approached they had always found it antagonistic. By insisting on what they wanted and keeping it at long enough they would get it. They had succeeded in getting Mr. Gielma, Major McIntosh and Major Burde; and now the returned men hoped to add a fourth.

Real Rulers.
To these men no party could say: "You must do this because you have received so and so from your party." They were absolutely independent and stood for a cleaner public life for the people of the Province—free from party graft and patronage.

Major Edwards explained that the G.W.V.A. was composed of men of all ranks who had served overseas; a new regulation would extend their charter to cover all soldiers who had served in Canada. They were comrades all and there was strength in unity. Unless men had axes to grind or violent revolutionary tendencies when they landed in Canada they came members of the G.W.V.A. as members of the G.W.V.A. as they were properly represented to them. Their objects were for peace for the country; to keep peace at home and prevent those revolutionary tendencies that might creep into Canadian life. No organization would give so efficient service as the G.W.V.A. he said.

No Chameleon Tendencies.
The speaker had been accused of being a rolling stone but "believe me," he said, "I have not the chameleon tendency to change my colors like Dr. Rutherford."

Curtis, Mr. Gielma!
As the Major was a stranger he gave a brief sketch of his life, several years of which had been spent in the northwest in stock-raising and several in the employ of the Bank of Canada.

Mr. Gielma, he said, was the "honorary" man in B.C. He would never sell his comrades to any party. "I have never been approached by either of the leaders of the party," he declared. He considered himself quite good-looking, he said, but "Mr. Bowser has not set his cap at me."

On New Year's day the Major had called at the Government buildings. Mr. Oliver had put his arm around him and introduced him to his wife as a budding politician and that was the first time he had met the Oliver family.

Far from fostering Bolshevik ideas he was absolutely moderate, and not an extremist. Bolshevism was selfishness personified and his ideal was "for country only." And from a sense of duty and nothing else he was stepping into politics. One who was able to handle soldiers would be better movement than any other.

It had been said against him that he was not a resident. Not having family ties he would have freedom of movement, no one would have a claim on him. Major Hayward had come to the district and after a short time had been made member, and if he were elected he would try to stand as a jolly good second to Hayward.

Advisory Committee.
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action from all organizations who would lay before himself or another clearly what they thought fit and if he were elected member he would deal with their requests as a tremendous advantage to children, but thought a vote of the parents and guardians of the children should be taken. If that was favorable he would put it through. Transportation and cost would be minor matters, and with the Government supplying fifty per cent of the transportation the cost might come even if a sufficiently large number of schools consolidated.

Major Edwards advocated pensions for all mothers in need who had children to bring up. Sufficient to bring them up properly. He advocated revision of medical inspection in schools. The taxation of the province needed revision. The urgent consideration of the Government had not been given to the farmer. If the bill now in course of preparation favored the farmer to the extent he thought necessary he would endorse it—not otherwise. Major Edwards said he would pledge himself not to give any support to any legislation that adversely affected the farmer. He stated that he was under no obligation to any one that he had not publicly disclosed. Every soldier candidate, he said, would take a similar stand. Major Edwards was in favor of a much improved system of travelling libraries.

Not a Politician.
The Major said he had never taken part in politics. He would have been ashamed to have taken a hand in the dirty politics that have been dishonored. He was against the big corporations and capitalists and by getting the proper men into the House by degrees, by legislation he hoped to get the control of the tremendous interests of the country into the hands of the people.

Whether he was elected or not he and his wife liked Cowichan so much that they and their family intended to come here to live.

Questions!
In answer to the request for questions J. H. Whitmore read extracts from the meetings of the Conservative executive from March to June 9, dealing with Capt. Hayward's resignation.

Cables and letters stating that the parts published and the parts withheld had been chosen nearly always unanimously at meetings at which Dr.

Rutherford had been present and he did not think that Dr. Rutherford was hardly justified to speak as he had done of the Conservative executive.

Douglas James, president of the G.W.V.A., then made an appeal for ladies to offer themselves to canvass the district in the interests of Major Edwards.

SMUGGLED GOLD.
Seattle, Jan. 18.—Isaac Kay, a pioneer Seattle jeweler, was fined \$2,000 by Judge Neterer in the United States District Court here yesterday for violation of federal statutes prohibiting the smuggling of gold into Canada from the United States. Kay was found guilty of this charge by a jury two months ago.

A. J. Cranwell, a jeweler of Vancouver, B.C., also is implicated in this charge, and will be arraigned before Judge Neterer next Monday.

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REMAKING THE WORLD.

The Peace Conference formally entered upon its gigantic task to-day. Never before in human history has there been an international gathering of such momentous importance to the future of civilization as that which now is in session in the historic chateau of Louve the Fourteenth, the "Grand Monarch," of France.

Its deliberations will affect more or less intimately every people under the sun. It will determine what reparation Germany shall make for her colossal crimes of the last fifty-two months, what punishment shall be meted out to those who were responsible for the war and for its innumerable atrocities, and the measure of security against further aggression that shall be given to Germany's neighbors.

It will establish the territorial limits of many new nations hitherto shackled to the autocracies of Middle Europe, such as Poland, Bohemia, Jugoslavia, Armenia, Palestine, Syria, Arabia, Mesopotamia, Asia Minor and Albania. It will deal with Alsace and Lorraine and with the delicate and difficult boundary questions affecting the South Slavs and Italy, the status of Fiume and Dalmatia, the Adriatic littoral, the position of Transylvania, Bessarabia, Bukovina and the Dobruja.

It will consider the status of Luxembourg, Belgium's claim to the strip of Holland south of the Scheldt and probably the claim of Denmark to North Schleswig. The future of the German colonies, the position of Great Britain, France and Italy in respect of Morocco, Tunis, Egypt, Tripoli and Somaliland, also will demand the attention of the Conference. Finally, and of paramount concern, the situation of Russia and the attitude of the Allies to that distracted country will have a conspicuous part in the deliberations.

But this is but one phase of the programme. It merely concern the problems affecting various national interests which have arisen from the war. It does not deal with the greater issues affecting the future of the world, the establishment of a new foundation of world peace, order and progress. It is possible to dispose of the territorial problems and economic interests in a generally satisfactory way and still leave the world a prey to reaction, militarism, intrigue, racial jealousies and the menace of war.

The greatest task of the Peace Conference thus is to construct an entirely new bottom for civilization in the place of the false, rotten fabric which collapsed in 1914; to determine that henceforth nations will adjust their differences as Great Britain and the United States have learned to adjust theirs; that instead of the division of countries into two or three antagonistic groups there shall be a common basis for the isolation and settlement of all problems calculated to arouse distrust and hatred.

Subsidiary to this there should be an understanding in regard to armaments, as the only means of averting a competition which would plunge almost every nation in the world into war or revolution. Indeed, it is to the settlement of the great moral issues that democracy looks most yearningly to the gathering at Versailles, to the steps that are taken to make the world a better place to live in, the real purpose of the untold sacrifices of the last five years and without the attainment of which much of those sacrifices will have been in vain.

The Congress of Vienna, which met after Napoleon's exile to Elba, thought it settled the territorial problems, although it came to blows on several occasions in doing so, but what it actually did was to sow the seed of more wars, not excluding this one. Its great defect was that it failed to establish first a moral foundation, a foundation of justice and freedom, for everything else it did. That the structure it erected should collapse amid the horrors of conflict and revolution under such circumstances was the most natural thing in the world.

The deliberations of the Peace Conference, however, are not without considerable danger, not necessarily so much in the possibility of conflict among the representatives as in certain aspects of the aftermath. There is bound to be disappointment in some countries over the conclusions that will be reached, for, in some instances, claims have been made for, and peoples have been led to expect, things which are not likely to be admitted.

There will be no trouble if the peoples of those countries come to understand that the real success of the Conference will depend upon the extent to which its deliberations secure the welfare of civilization as a whole, not selfish national aspirations; if they realize that the interests of posterity are

more involved in what is done now than even those of the present generation. Let it be remembered that it was for the world of to-morrow that millions of the flower of democratic manhood gave their to-day.

OUR "HUMAN IMPORTS."

The Saturday Evening Post recently published an article on the effect of indiscriminate immigration to the United States as reflected by the centres of anarchy, made in Germany and Russia and masquerading as Socialism, to be found in the larger cities of the republic. One paragraph of the article is worth reproducing:

"This whole business of immigration, both of ideas and men, needs revision. Why keep out anarchy and smallpox and admit rabies freely? We need an influx of labor to keep our factories going and to expand our commerce, is the usual answer. Not that kind of labor—nor any kind of labor that we cannot pay well and that is not good material for citizenship. For what shall it profit us to have all the commerce of the world if in the end we blow up in one grand Bolshevik bust? It might be better business to go just a little slower, to educate what unassimilated labor we have into American citizenship. So in planning our new list of imports let us include only desirables. In planning our new list of exports let us head it with undesirables. Under our laws we send rotten food to the dump because it is a menace to health. Rotten men, who are poisoning America with rotten propaganda, belong there too. Why do they linger here when in Russia they can live the ideal that they preach? Utopia yawns for them. Make them go to it. We do not want them. America for Americans and men who want to be Americans."

This is good advice, as applicable to Canada as to the United States. In planning our new list of "human imports" we should include only desirables; our list of "human exports" should be headed by undesirables. Our immigration laws should leave no opening for people to enter here who want to transplant in our communities the plague spots of the countries from which they come. There should be no place in Canada for people who do not intend to be Canadians, that is to say, who have no sympathy with Canadian institutions and Canadian citizenship.

PUBLICITY FOR CONFERENCE.

The difficulties in the way of holding all the meetings of the Peace Conference in public can be easily understood. There is bound to be marked disagreement between the members on many subjects and if the detailed discussions on these became public property the usefulness of the Conference would be greatly impaired, with the danger that the upshot of its deliberations would be chaos, not peace.

The influences and conditions which will effect a satisfactory adjustment of international differences in a conference chamber lose their magic when those differences are translated into controversies between peoples, which invariably give rise to snap judgments, provocative speeches, and articles, ill-considered resolutions and much dangerous misrepresentation.

In that case the Peace Conference, composed of the men most competent to deal with the great subjects and issues involved, would be amplified into a congregation of disputing, discordant nations, from not a few of which, no doubt, would go numerous delegations representing all sorts of ideas and theories—many of them conflicting—to convert Versailles into pandemonium.

At the same time there will have to be a clear and comprehensive report of the progress of the conference, for the public, particularly the public of the Anglo-Saxon countries, will accept nothing else, and it is only by keeping in touch with their public that Governments can learn just how far they may go at the Conference without compromising the fruits of that gathering.

"THE COMMON CAUSE."

Some time ago The Times obtained from a visitor a copy of a pamphlet published by The Library of War Literature in New York under the title of "Know Your Ally" for the purpose of enlightening the people of the United States on the part played by Great Britain in the war, and reproduced the most striking parts of it in a series of special articles. Numerous applications for copies of the pamphlet were received and The Times entered into communication with the publishers in the hope of obtaining a supply of them. It was informed that "Know Your Ally" was being republished in a new form under the name of "The Common Cause" and that as soon as this had been done copies would be sent here. The Times thereupon arranged for a shipment of several thousand copies and these have just arrived. They will be available to those who desire them at The Times office in a day or two, notification of which will be duly given through these columns.

BOLSHEVISM.
(Toronto News.)

The Dutch Minister at Petrograd thus defines Bolshevism: "The Bolshevik principles are high wages for no work, the taking of other people's property without punishment, and no taxation." A thrilling programme, evidently drafted by a reformed lawyer, now in the safe-blowing business!

CONTROVERSY OVER
A PRESS DISPATCH

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The Chamber of Deputies there has been one to the effect that President Wilson has threatened to withdraw the American troops from Europe if certain of his ideas are not followed by the Peace Conference. How far these things have gone in the three conferences already held it is impossible for me to say, but that the Chamber's report is pretty nearly correct there is no doubt.

There are numerous indications of this recent attitude on Mr. Wilson's part, and that he is now tacitly but definitely, but not actually threatening other commissioners. He has come here to make a certain kind of peace and intends to do so, his supporters say. And his supporters have frankly said that he will refuse to sign any peace not in accord with what he considers a fair and equitable interpretation of the armistice agreement, which accepted his fourteen points, with reservations as to the freedom of the seas.

"Now, his supporters say, some of the Allies are unwilling to abide by the armistice terms and impose further penalties on the Germans, who accepted the armistice in good faith.

"Mr. Wilson's supporters feel, furthermore, that some of the Allies—

including Great Britain—desire to prolong the armistice in order to penalize Germany to the utmost before concluding a peace with her."

MINIMUM WAGE TO
GIRLS OF SIXTEEN

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ed that the new conditions in respect of girls employed in mercantile establishments will go into effect in about thirty days.

In respect of girls under the age of sixteen years there is likely to be a minimum of at least \$6.50 per week paid for a probationary period of not more than six months.

The question of the length of apprenticeship term for women workers eighteen years of age or over that age, in mercantile establishments in British Columbia, will be fixed at one year and the apprenticeship term divided into four periods of three months each. It will not be permissible to employ any such apprentice during the first period at a weekly wage of less than \$8; or during the second period at a weekly wage of less than \$10; or during the third period at a weekly wage of less than \$11; or during the fourth period at a weekly wage of less than \$12.

Apprenticeship Period.
Any girl who has been employed during the period between her attaining the ages of sixteen and eighteen for a total period of at least one year will be deemed to have completed her apprenticeship, and on her attaining the age of eighteen years will be paid the minimum wage for adult workers, and no further apprenticeship will be allowed.

It will doubtless be provided, however, that if, when the girl attains the age of eighteen years, she has not completed one year's employment, she may, with the consent of the Board, in accordance with the provisions of the Act, be permitted to complete her apprenticeship period of one year.

PRESIDENT POINCARÉ
DELIVERS ADDRESS AT
OPENING SESSION OF
WORLD PEACE CONGRESS

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fend an ideal of liberty over which it saw the huge shadow of the imperial eagle encroaching further every day. America, the daughter of Europe, crossed the ocean to rescue her mother from thralldom and to save civilization."

Final Meetings.
Paris, Jan. 18.—All the peace delegations held final meetings this morning before the assembling of the Peace Congress this afternoon. While there had been some expectation that President Wilson might address the opening session of the Congress on behalf of the foreign delegates in response to President Poincaré's address of welcome, it was finally determined that there would be no speeches except those by President Poincaré and by Premier Clemenceau when the Premier takes the chair as the presiding officer of the Congress.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The Foreign Office was the centre of interest from an early hour this morning as the crowds gathered and the final preparations were made for the opening of the Peace Congress at 10 o'clock this afternoon. Along the Quai d'Orsay the crowds awaited the appearance of the delegates and gazed at the tall windows of the Salle de la Paix, where the Congress was about to meet. Toward midday the troops called out for the occasion began to take their assigned positions confronting the Palais Bourbon, the Foreign Office, with a guard of honor drawn up in the court leading to the entrance to the Foreign Office. The guard took the form of a double file of soldiers, through which the delegates were to pass.

Progress Expected.
Paris, Jan. 18.—With the assembling of the first full session of the Peace Congress to-day, the prospects of rapid progress seem enhanced. The appearance of Bolshevism in Germany, thus opening the way to the stabilizing of the Government and the prospect of its being able to send responsible representatives.

The Congress is expected to devote itself single-mindedly to the creation of a League of Nations, taking without delay the first steps toward the formation of such a League. It became known to-day, a study of the methods by which the League can be organized will be committed formally to an inter-Ally committee sitting contemporaneously with the Congress, which will

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY
Victoria Times, January 18, 1894.

The meeting at the City Hall last evening of those interested in municipal reform was very poorly attended. Senator Macdonald, who was in the chair, said the poor attendance was accounted for by the fact that the municipal elections were over.

The latest notice of motion to be placed on the bulletin board is one by Alderman Styles requesting the Dominion representatives to intercede with the Government for the erection of a retaining wall on the Dallas Road from Oswego Street to Cook Street. The recent storms have made havoc there.

The Canadian-Australian line steamer Warrimoo sailed for Honolulu, Fiji and Australia at 5 o'clock last evening.

Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., Allyn Tweedale, H. Bell-Irving, D. J. O'Neill, and E. H. Beasley. The secretary of the Vancouver Branch of the Great War Veterans' Association and a representative of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council also will be asked to serve. There will be another meeting called when this committee has completed some of the preliminary work, but no date has yet been set. H. Bell-Irving acted as chairman of the meeting.

Those Present: Rev. J. Newton-Evans, B.A., Rev. F. W. Maccaud, B.D., Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., C. M. Buscombe, E. H. Beasley, J. B. Johnson, Allan Bailey, Andrew Bligh, J.P., G. F. Mills, James McGlashan, James MacRae, R. D. Dinning, John Gregg, A. Wheeler, W. Holden, F. Tupper, J. L. Howling, Major Leslie, J. C. Dockerill, Julius Griffith, B. Dubois Phillips, Henry Bell-Irving, Lieut. F. D. Nicholson, Noel Humphreys, F. W. Peters, Paul C. Daugherty, A. D. Freshfield, Campbell Sweeney, J. K. Macrae, F. L. Smith, C. A. Stewart, W. Land, R. D. Young, R. C. Swett, H. Odum, J. Pearce, John Eadie, L. Richardson, A. J. Thompson, Dominic Burns, John A. Robertson, Donald Downie, J. D. Gamble, R. B. W. Pirrie, A. D. J. O'Neill and Atkin Tweedale.

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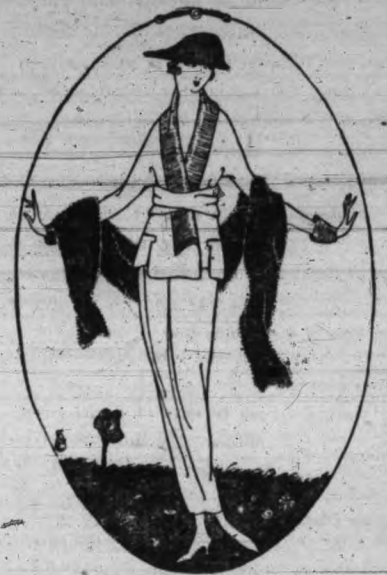
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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

Social Personal

Lieut.-Col. J. R. Vicars, of Kamloops, late O.C. of the 172nd Battalion, is visiting in town and is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.

Ernest Rutlan, of this city is the successful candidate for the Dominion Inspectorate of gas and electricity for this portion of the country.

J. J. Rafferty, of Manila, P.I., was in the city for two days this week on a business tour and proceeded to Vancouver on Thursday evening.

Lieut.-Col. J. Duff Stuart's appointment as Brigade Commander for the 23rd Infantry Brigade has been extended to September 23, 1919.

Major R. J. Burda, M.C., M.P.P., elect, has been struck off the strength of the Expeditionary Force, to date as from November 14, as being no longer medically fit.

Formal notice is given by the Air Ministry that the Distinguished Flying Cross has been awarded to Lieut. Blayney Edmund Scott, M.C., late Canadian Field Artillery.

Rev. W. W. Bolton, M.A., of the University School, went over to Vancouver yesterday to meet his son, Lieut. Gerald Bolton, on his return from overseas service. They came to Victoria on this afternoon's boat, a number of the young officer's friends being at the C.P.R. wharf to welcome him.

Foresters' Whist Drive To-night. A. O. F. Hall, Broad St.

West Saanich Institute.—The fourth annual meeting of the West Saanich Women's Institute was held at West Road Hall on Tuesday. The meeting opened with the President, Mrs. J. Osborne in the chair, who addressed the meeting in a very able manner. She spoke of the programme of the past year being a most successful one, also offering some good suggestions to include in one programme for the coming year. This was followed by the Secretary's and Treasurer's report. The Treasurer's report showed a very successful year, the splendid sum of \$1,450.56 having passed through her hands. The Red Cross convener gave another good report, \$945.48 being given to the Red Cross funds, and \$110 to the Patriotic Funds. The total list of work done is as follows: 352 bandages, 279 pyjama suits, 222 day shirts, 75 trench caps, and 289 pairs socks. The result of the election of officers was as follows: President, Mrs. Sydney Fox; Vice-President, Mrs. F. Verrier; Secretary, Mrs. J. Murray; Treasurer, Miss Jean E. Anderson; Directors, Mrs. Guy, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Heyworth. The new business was then taken up, after which refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned.

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An executive meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held on Thursday morning, the regent, Mrs. Griffiths presiding. The members present discussed the practical way of helping the organizations in charge of the cases of influenza prevalent at the present time. As all available nurses, voluntary and professional, who are members of the Order have already offered their services in that capacity it was thought advisable to assist by forwarding supplies as needed. In many homes when cases arise there is no help available to provide the constant nourishment so necessary, and the Daughters of the Empire are prepared to fill this need as far as possible during the next few weeks. The primary chapters are asked to stand ready and on request of their regent to provide delicacies such as eggs, milk puddings, milk and stock soups, as requested by the Victorian Order of Nurses under whose direction all distribution will be carried on. Voluntary offers of motors to deliver the prepared foods will be gratefully received by Mrs. A. C. Fraser, phone 4799, who is in charge of that branch. Further arrangements will be made at the regular meeting of the Municipal Chapter on Thursday afternoon.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

Professor Henry, of Washington University, to Speak at Tuesday's Meeting at Empress.

Professor W. E. Henry, head of the school of librarians at the University of Washington, U. S. A., is to be the speaker at the meeting of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday afternoon. Professor Henry, who will speak on the subject, "Organized Women and Social Service," has been librarian at the Washington University since 1906. Prior to that time he was State Librarian of Indiana. At the conclusion of Professor Henry's address, tea will be served and an hour spent in social intercourse. Among the guests of honor of the club at the tea hour will be Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. David Donald, Lady McBride and Mrs. D'Oyley Rochfort, nee Phyllis Davis. The affair will be timed to start punctually at 3 o'clock, instead of at the usual hour, as Professor Henry will leave on the 4.30 boat for Seattle.

WILL RAISE THEIR FEE

Victoria Medical Society Consider Step Justifiable Conference on Influenza.

At a meeting of the Victoria Medical Society last night it was decided that owing to the general increase of cost of medical materials the fees for visiting patients should be slightly increased.

The Society also decided to confer with Hon. Dr. Maclean as to what measures should be taken to deal with the influenza epidemic, and for this purpose a committee was named, comprising Dr. Beak, the medical health officers of the various neighboring municipalities, Dr. Hasell and Dr. T. Miller. There was some discussion in connection with the Isolation Hospital also. Dr. Hudson was chairman of the meeting.

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1,240 Victoria Families Received Assistance During Month of December.

During the month of December, 1918, the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society granted assistance to 1,240 families, comprising 3,257 individuals, the allowances being \$38,548.72.

The complete financial statement from September 12, 1914, to December 31, 1918, is as follows:

Cash Receipts.
Subscriptions previously published..... \$ 658,273.54
Collections for December, 1918:
Victoria Patriotic Aid Society..... \$ 3,266.77
Victoria Branch, Canadian Patriotic Fund..... 380.84

Special subscriptions:
War Bonds and other Securities..... 1,500.00
Trust Accounts..... 427.40

Disbursements.
Previously published..... \$ 646,538.78
For December, 1918:
Contributed to Canadian Patriotic Fund, Central Fund:
By Victoria Patriotic Aid Society..... \$ 5,222.42
By Victoria Branch, Canadian Patriotic Fund..... 380.84

General Expenses:
Salaries and wages..... 421.00
Printing and stationery..... 33.80
Postage stamps..... 61.00
Sundry expenses..... 61.50

1918 Campaign Expenses:
Wages and sundries..... 95.00

War Bonds and other Securities on hand..... 1,500.00
Balance:
Petty cash..... \$ 50.00
Cash on hand..... 200.00
Canadian Bank of Commerce..... 15,940.60

Less balance allowance account 4,966.69 11,233.91
\$ 668,848.55

Allowance Account.

Advances from Central Fund, Canadian Patriotic Fund..... \$1,123,583.95
Disbursements under Canadian Patriotic Fund:
From commencement to Nov. 30, 1918..... \$1,089,078.54
For December..... 35,548.72
Balance on hand..... 4,966.69

Installed Officers.—At the last regular meeting of the Daughters of St. George the following officers were installed: W. P. S. Repsell; W. V. P. S. Webb; W. F. Secretary, S. White; W. Recording Secretary, S. Coleman; W. Treasurer, S. Reeve; W. Chaplain, S. Armstrong; First Conductor, S. Stevenson; Sec. Conductor, S. Hafferman; Inside Guard, S. Harris; Outside Guard, S. Prior; W. P. S. Masters, The D. D. G. P. S. Berrett, was the installing officer, assisted by S. Mowat and Rains as conductors.

A BEDTIME STORY

UNCLE WIGGLY AND THE CLAM

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(By Howard R. Garis.)



Once upon a time, as Uncle Wiggly Longears, the nice old rabbit gentleman, was walking along the seashore beach with his muskrat lady house-keeper, Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, they came to a place where the rising tide had washed a clam up on the beach and, when the waters had gone down, the clam was left there.

"Oh dear!" cried the clam, in sea lingo talk, of course. "What a terrible thing has happened to me!"

"Why, what is the matter?" kindly asked Uncle Wiggly, as he stopped hopping and made little holes in the sand with the end of his red, white and blue striped rheumatism crutch, that Nurse Jane had gnawed for him out of a cornstalk. "What's the trouble?"

"Why, here I am, left high and dry on the beach, with no way of getting back into the ocean," said the clam. "For I am not one of those chaps, like the soft clams, that have legs to move themselves along with. I'm stuck here, and here I'll have to stay and die, I suppose. Oh, dear!"

"Nothing of the sort!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly, in his most jolly voice. "I'll put you back into the ocean again."

"Oh, if you will, thank you so much!" cried the clam, in a chowdery sort of voice, opening and closing his shells like a steel trap.

"I'll do it," said Uncle Wiggly, and then, with his crutch, he began pushing and shoving and rolling the clam down the sandy beach hill towards the ocean.

It was hard work for the bunny uncle, and he had to take off his tail silk hat and wipe his ears with his silk handkerchief more than once.

"Oh, come on!" said Nurse Jane, sort of fussy like. "Don't bother with the clam! He'll be all right when the tide is high again."

"Oh, no! He must get into the water soon, or he may die," said the bunny. "Don't let him hear you talk that way, Nurse Jane."

Uncle Wiggly. "I think I'll sit down here and rest a bit. I'm tired."

So he sat down, and Nurse Jane sat with him.

Now they had not been sitting very long before, all of a sudden, there came a big wave from the ocean, washing up on the beach, and it came up so high that it wet the feet of Nurse Jane and Uncle Wiggly. And with the wave was washed up a bad old dog fish.

"Burr-r-r-r! Wuff-wuff!" barked the dog fish. "I'm in luck to-day! I can bite a rabbit and a muskrat at the same time. Oh, joy!"

"Are you going to bite me?" asked Uncle Wiggly, not wishing to make any mistake, and thinking perhaps he had not perfectly understood the dog fish.

"I am," answered the dog fish. "And me, too?" inquired Nurse Jane. "You also," was the reply. "I am going to bite you both. I am in fine biting humor to-day. I'll bite you both!"

"Both who? Who's going to bite whom, and when and where?" asked another voice, interrogatively like. "I am, right here and now; I'm going to bite Uncle Wiggly and Nurse Jane," barked the dog fish.

"Well, in that case I guess I'll do a little biting myself!" went on the voice. "And the first thing I'll bite, Mr. Dog Fish, will be your tail!"

And with that the clam, which Uncle Wiggly had helped into the water, and which had been washed up again by the same wave that washed up the dog fish, opened his hard shells and closed them again and bit the tail of the bad fish so hard that the fish cried like a cat, and flopped back into the ocean, not hurting Uncle Wiggly or Nurse Jane at all.

Then the bunny uncle, after thanking the clam, put him back into the ocean once more, and all was well, and Mr. Longears didn't even say "I told you so," to Nurse Jane.

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FIRST CONCERT OF CHORAL SOCIETY

Arrangements Have Been Made for Attractive Feature

The first concert of the 1918-1919 season of the Victoria Choral Society will be given on February 11, the entire proceeds of which will be devoted to the benefit of the Red Cross Society funds. The concert will be given in the Princess Theatre, the home of all Red Cross entertainments. It was intended to give the first concert last November, but owing to the influenza ban on public gatherings, it was found impossible to get ready before the date now set.

Last season, the Society had a considerable number of subscribers for the season, and no doubt every one of them will subscribe again, as the two concerts given are still pleasant memories to all who were privileged to attend. As the Princess Theatre affords much more seating accommodation than previously used, an appeal is being made to all music lovers to subscribe and in this way help the most worthy institution for whose benefit this season's concert is being given. Any desirous of subscribing can secure blanks from any member of the Society, or, if more convenient, from the Hon. Conductor, Mr. Gideon Hicks, care Heintzman Piano Company, Government Street, opposite the post office. Particulars of the concert will be given later.

MUSIC CHRONICLES OF EARLY TIMES

By Herbert Kent.
(Continued.)

The Pirates of Penzance was repeated on October 17, 1885, and another bumper house greeted the amateur performers when the curtain was raised. At the close of the second performance, all those taking part were treated to a most delightful supper served in the dining room of the Driard Hotel, which at this date occupies the building adjoining the Victoria Theatre, and is now part of Spencer's Limited.

The professional opening of the new theatre took place on October 18th, the play being "The New Camille," with Grace Hawthorne in the title role. Just about this time, there came to reside in Victoria, a vocal teacher who will be remembered by many at present living in this city. Prof. Enrico Sorge was a somewhat eccentric and peculiar individual, but I am of the opinion that he was a splendid teacher, and he had a large number of pupils who, it is safe to say, derived an immense amount of good from his work. Among others, he was the teacher of Miss Mowatt (now Mrs. Richard Jones), and her sister (now Mrs. J. D. Helmcken, also Mrs. S. Y. Wootton and Miss Hartman, daughter of one of the proprietors of the Driard Hotel, and now, I believe, living at Honolulu. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Helmcken were both the talented possessors of glorious voices, and their services were constantly in demand. It was always a most enjoyable treat to listen to either in solo or both in duet, their voices blending beautifully, and their work always giving evidence of careful training and study.

About this time my recollection takes me back to a concert held in December, 1885, by the Victoria Musical Society, and given in aid of the family of the late Mr. Sorge. The concert was given in the Theatre Building. One of the novelties which was advertised at that time was a Saxophone quartette, this instrument at that period being very little known, although in later years it has come into considerable prominence, especially in connection with Jazz music. The players who manipulated the Saxophones on this occasion, contributing twice to the program, were Messrs. A. Weiss, E. Tael, E. Fierdner and H. Kent. An old-fashioned minuet danced by sixteen young girls under the tutelage of Mrs. Chudley, was a feature of the evening's entertainment, and other numbers consisted of vocal solos by Miss Heathfield, Miss K. Young and myself, my song being one composed by Prof. Sorge, Miss Young and Dr. Fieher being heard in a violin duet, and the latter also in a solo. The Society also gave several choruses under the leadership of Prof. Fierdner.

In January, 1886, the theatre was occupied for four nights by the Thompson Opera Company, in performances of light opera including the "Mikado" and "Beggars Student."

In February, 1886, an amateur entertainment in aid of the funds of the B. C. Benevolent Society was given under the direction of Prof. Sorge. The Benevolent Society was at one time a body which took care of and provided for the poor and needy in Victoria, and was somewhat similar to the Friendly Help Society of the present day. A number of amateurs who had not previously been heard in public took part at this concert, among these being Mrs. Moore, vocalist; Wm. Whyte, rector; Miss Jordand, vocalist, and Arthur Bradley, vocalist. The band of H. M. R. Tripp, which was at this time on the station, played several numbers and a series of beautiful tableaux were put on by Mrs. W. J. MacDonald, who on many occasions afterwards was responsible for similar features which were always carried out with charming effect.

A bill for the establishment of a National Conservatory, such as France has had for many years past, is to come up before the Senate and Congress of the United States at its next session.

ARION CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT

Programme Will Include Local Artists in Chamber Music

The first concert of the twenty-seventh season of the Arion Club, of this city, will take place at the Empress ballroom on Tuesday, February 4. This concert was to have been held in the early part of December, but like many other musical affairs was postponed on account of the influenza which resulted in a ban being placed on all public gatherings.

Herbert Kent is leading this well-known organization for the present season, and the rehearsals have been well attended, which is some criterion that the concert will be fully up to the standard of previous years. Many of the club's numbers will be new to a Victoria audience, and have been selected with great care by the music committee from such well-known composers as Massenet, Gounod, Rachmaninoff, Nevin, Eaton Fanning and others. Other numbers have been taken from the club's library which now consists of nearly 300 male voice selections. Miss Eva Hart, so well and favorably known as a concert singer to all Victorians, has very kindly consented to sing several solos, and an additional treat is in store for those who attend in the charming trio which will be played by Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, Miss Ida Morris and Miss Maude Scruby.

The Arion Club concerts are open to all who subscribe for the season, and the rates for subscription are extremely reasonable. The committee will appreciate very much hearing from new associate members, and full particulars as to rates will be gladly furnished by Mr. P. D. Hughes, Secretary, press 2448, or Mr. J. H. 2449 or 2450, or any member of the organization. Mrs. C. C. Warn is the club accompanist for this season, and the work entailed by such an exacting position could not possibly be in better hands.

MUSICAL MEMORIES OF EARLY WINNIPEG

Victoria Musician Writes Interestingly of Men and Events

The Winnipeg Tribune of December 23 contains an article entitled "Reminiscences"—same being some recollections, humorous and otherwise, of Jackson Hanby, now conductor of the choir of the First Presbyterian Church.

In introducing the article, "The Tribune" says: "Jackson Hanby, now a resident of Victoria, B. C., sends to 'The Tribune' Music Editor a request for 'recollections' of his musical experiences in the days when automobiles, electric cars, electric light and motorcycles were not in vogue. Mr. Hanby, in those days, was the Edward Lloyd of Western Canada, participating as a principal in the majority of the truly ambitious undertakings. And a fine artist he was. He never quit, lost into a new city where oratorio, opera and dramatic society flourished, seemed nothing less than wonderful. Where all the clever professional and amateur came from was a mystery, but here they were in plenty, working in friendly competition, with the result that anything attempted was well done."

The article, in part, reads: "Arriving in Winnipeg in 1885, I was greatly surprised to find such a high standard of music already established in that far western city. Coming from Leeds, Yorkshire, where one is surrounded by the best in music art and story, into a new city where oratorio, opera and dramatic society flourished, seemed nothing less than wonderful. Where all the clever professional and amateur came from was a mystery, but here they were in plenty, working in friendly competition, with the result that anything attempted was well done. Travellers passing through Winnipeg in the early days, many of the competent critics, gave the local organizations great praise for the high class performances. My first choir experience was in the new Wesley Church, which was built for the benefit of the C. P. R. employees, many of whom lived in that district. George Bailey, James Mawson, Frank Bellhouse, Robt. Wilkinson, Walter and George Hanby were all singing there at the opening. Later, some of them held important positions in the larger downtown churches. Then I enjoyed a short season at the Congregational Church with Miss Alexander, Miss Madge, Waugh and Charles Kelly, all of whom were great favorites on the concert platform with the old-timers. This reminds me of the annual concert given by the late Mrs. Richard Waugh at her residence, 10 Kennedy Street, in aid of the Singers gave their services to make it the success it always was. Then, after the concert, the good 'ests' prepared by our kind hostess, and a social hour. I spent several years as a member of Grace Church choir under the leadership of James Tees. Here I became acquainted with the fine body of singers who made a name for themselves in Western Canada, which, I believe, still holds good. James Tees was a master of interpretation and light and shade, getting surprising results from his choristers."

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GRAND OPERA AT VANCOUVER

San Carlo Opera Company to Present Four Masterpieces

Many of Victoria's music-lovers and theatre-goers will derive interest from the announcement that the San Carlo Grand Opera Company, the greatest, and, in fact, the only one of the big operatic organizations now on tour of the United States and Canada, is coming to Vancouver for a three-day engagement beginning Monday, January 27. There will be four productions staged at the Avenue Theatre there, all different, and each to be presented by a different and distinct cast of principals. The event promises to be one of the most superb musical society events in Vancouver's amusement history, and there have been some expressions of regret that the bookings of this famous body of songbirds cannot be brought to this community. Theatrical bookings, previously made, however, by the local theatre, preclude this possibility, and unquestionably many will go from here to enjoy the big voices.

The San Carlo company numbers a hundred people, noteworthy features of the organization being the large symphony orchestra and splendid singing chorus. The company travels by special train, and has just concluded record-breaking engagements at Montreal, New York, Winnipeg and other big opera-loving cities, record-breaking audiences being in attendance everywhere. This fact is borne out by the exchanges from these places, where the critics have spoken in glowing terms of the singers, and of the brilliant productions generally. The principals of the organization are among the foremost opera stars now before the public, and there are so many of them that the four operas to be staged at Vancouver will be provided with almost entirely different and distinct casts. The repertoire has been attractively arranged, and is as follows:

Repertoire.
Monday evening, January 27, a unique double bill—two operas, "Secret of Susanna" (in English); Tuesday evening, "Faust"; Wednesday matinee, "Tales of Hoffman"; Wednesday evening, "Il Trovatore".
The roster of principals is as follows:

Roster of Principals.
Soprano—Mmes. Elizabeth Amaden, late leading soprano with the Boston Opera and Chicago Opera; Queena Mario (coloratura), American-Greek artist, now making her initial American tour; Sophie Charlebois, lyric, late of the Teatro Massimo, Palermo; Estelle Wentworth, the American soprano, former star with the Century Opera, New York.

Mesozo Soprano—Mmes. Stella De Mette, late leading mezzo with the Montreal Opera, and of the Metropolitan; Doria Fernanda, from the Teatro San Carlo, Naples; Alice Hosner, Bettina Delmo, Frances Morosini.
Tenor—Messrs. Manuel Salazar, distinguished Spanish artist, successor in the San Carlo forces to the eminent Constantino; Giuseppe Agostini, Romeo Bouscoul, late of the Boston Opera; Luciano Rosini.

Baritone—Messrs. Angelo Antola, Joseph Royer, eminent French artist, from the Paris Opera; Rodolfo Fornari, late leading baritone with the Chicago Opera; Luigi Dellemolle.
Bass—Messrs. Pietro DeBlasi, former first basso with the Boston Theatre Company; Natale Cervi, from the Montreal Opera; Pietro Canova.

Musical Directors.—Messrs. Gaetano Merola, late first maestro at the London (Hammerstein's) Opera House, London, England; Amedeo Barbieri, Mail orders for the opera set by parties from this city and addressed to the manager of the Avenue Theatre, Vancouver, will be carefully filled.

A. CRESSWELL, PIANO EXPERT, IS WELL-KNOWN

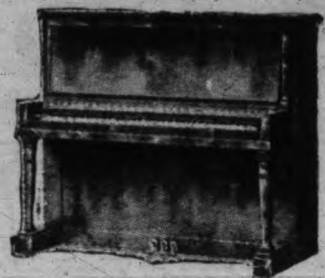
Numerous former patrons inquiring for A. Cresswell, the piano expert, of Deep Bay, Saanich, and Shoal Bay, are notified that he has located his workshop and office centrally at 343 Yates Street, next the National Garage.

For the past eight years Mr. Cresswell, owing to nervous breakdown, had extended his tuning service to a limited number of clients only. Conditions now permit his closest personal attention to country orders, as well as town. He will be glad to meet his patrons from country points at this new address. He is ready to furnish estimates free for the tuning and repairing of pianos and organs.
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ORGAN RECITAL

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1. Kieft ProcessionalMoussorgsky
2. Andante from 5th SymphonyBeethoven
3. The RecessionalAlan Gray

CITY MUSIC NOTES

The choir of First Presbyterian Church held its annual social evening on Thursday, January 16. About sixty people were present, comprising members of the choir and their friends and many interesting events were carried out.

The choir of the First Congregational Church, Quadra Street, will give an "Hour of Music" on Sunday evening, January 26, at which several soloists will assist. It is the intention of this choir to present special programmes of music on the last Sunday of each month.

The weekly practice of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club chorus will be

held at the studio of Madame Webb next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance of members is urgently requested as important work is under consideration.

Cecil Fanning, who sang in Victoria early last season, will give a recital in March under the auspices of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club.

An unusually attractive recital, if such it could be called, was given at the British Columbia Academy of Music on Thursday evening, introducing Miss Violet Belapex-Barbes, dancer, assisted by Madame MacDonald, Fahey, soprano. Miss Barbes, who is a granddaughter of Lieut.-Col. Barbes, who has been called the pioneer of the French Republic, and a Knight of the order of St. John of Jerusalem, has been dancing since she was eight years of age. She recently returned from New York, where her success has been phenomenal, and high commendation of work has been given by Walter Monthey, so well known in that city. Miss Barbes presented five dances in costume, assisted by Madame Fahey, who introduced each dance with an appropriate song or aria. Each in turn showed Miss Barbes to be possessed of unusual talent, combining histrionic power with wonderful facial expression.

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BURGLARS GIVEN ONE YEAR TERM

Youthful Robbers Will Go to Prison on Numerous Charges

For burglarizing a number of stores during the last few weeks, Gordon Margevich and John Baxter were sentenced to one year in prison by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning, while their companion in two of the crimes, Garney Schofield, was given a sentence of two months. Margevich and Baxter were apprehended last Wednesday by Detective Macdonald and Constable McLennan immediately after they had robbed O'Leary's jewelry shop on Douglas Street of about \$100 worth of jewelry. Arraigned in the Police Court they admitted a number of robberies of various local establishments, though Baxter denied the second burglary of the Royal Arms Hotel Restaurant, while admitting that he was implicated in the first entry of that establishment. The second charge was therefore withdrawn. For each of these crimes the young burglars were sentenced to one year at Oakalla Prison Farm, the terms to be served concurrently. Schofield was charged with being concerned with the other boys in the robbery of the Golden West, and another store, and was sentenced to a term of two months, the Magistrate remarking that his record while in the army had not been very creditable. A charge against Schofield of breaking into a building at Work Point Barracks and of stealing some quartermaster's stores will be considered by the Magistrate on Monday in the Esquimaux Police Court. In passing sentence upon the youths, Magistrate Jay remarked that had they been older he would certainly have sent them to the penitentiary for a long term. As they were mere boys, however, he would give them another chance. He thought that there should be some institution like the English Borstal system where boys who are a reforming wayward sent to an establishment separate from the penitentiary. As it was he had no alternative but to commit them to prison.

FULL PUBLICITY ON PLANT ACCIDENTS

Carpenters' Council Desires Searchlight Turned on Shipyard's Casualties

"Whereas, there has been a large number of accidents lately in the shipyards and elsewhere, and the aid of every organization to the efforts to get full publicity to accidents and the cause and effect of them, being of opinion that only by the aid of the subject of the papers in the usual course of compiling the day's news.

PLANS CONFERENCES ON DISPUTED ISSUES

Alderman Fullerton Will Introduce Motions to Council; Householders' Franchise

Two important civic questions which have occupied a great deal of attention during the recent election form the subject of reference in resolutions which will be introduced by Alderman Fullerton to the attention of the City Council on Monday evening. The resolutions deal respectively with the B. C. Electric Railway Company's application for an increase of fares, and the construction of the Johnson Street bridge. The Alderman recommends that the Council and the representatives of the various interested parties. The motions recite that an attempt should be made as quickly as possible to reach a solution of the issues pending.

Alderman Fullerton is also sponsor for a resolution asking the Attorney-General to take steps to amend the Municipal Act in order to provide for automatic registration of householders and license-holders, in order to avoid the loss of the franchise which results in a very large number of persons in a very large number of cases failing to register individually each October.

Andros is elected—Some doubt has been expressed as to whether ex-Alderman Walker on the recount of the ballots cast in Thursday's election would elect Alderman Andros, but a report from Returning Officer Northcott to-day shows that Alderman Andros is elected with a lead of about thirty-four votes over ex-Alderman Walker.

Service Cancelled—It is announced by T. Wright Hill that owing to illness there will be no service at the Sailors' Club, Esquimaux, to-morrow evening for sailors and soldiers.

To-morrow's The City Churches

ARMENIAN CHRISTMAS DAY FESTIVAL HERE

Will Be Observed at Christ Church Cathedral To-morrow

To-morrow is Christmas Day as observed by the Armenians and the Eastern Church. In Christ Church Cathedral an Armenian Christmas festival will be held at three o'clock, at which the orchestra of H. M. S. Lancaster will supplement the special music (by courtesy of the Colonel of the Marines). The church will be appropriately decorated for the occasion and Christmas carols will be sung. Recitals will also be rendered both before and after the service. The festival will be observed as a double event at the cathedral, the Armenian Christmas appeal being combined with the annual Children's Day commemoration, which was postponed in October last. An address will be given and the offerings at the service, unless specially assigned, will be divided between the Armenian and Syrian Relief Fund and the work of the Anglican Church through the Sunday School. Members of the Cathedral Sunday School will attend the service, either with their parents, Teachers and scholars will meet in the schoolroom at 2.30 p.m. and proceed to the cathedral in time for the opening recital. The junior and adult Bible classes and other organizations of the cathedral parish will be represented at the service, which is open to the general public.

CONFERENCE PLANS BIG FORWARD MOVEMENT

A meeting of the executive of the Presbyterian Forward Movement was held on Thursday night to arrange for the big conference in Victoria February 18. There were present Rev. A. P. Munro, Duncan, chairman; George H. Robertson, Rev. David Smith, of Mount Toimie; Rev. W. Leslie Clay and Rev. Jno. Gibson Inkster. It was reported that Principal Alfred Gaudier, of Toronto, Rev. Alex. Christie, of Winnipeg, and Principal John Mackay, of Vancouver, would be the chief speakers at the conference. The ministers, elders and managers of all the Presbyterian churches on Vancouver Island will be invited to attend. The office-bearers also of all the women's missionary societies will be invited and arrangements are being made to provide them with hospitality while in the city. Further and more definite arrangements will be made as to the programme when the committee next meets on February 11. There will be three sessions on the day of the conference, which means that the public will be invited to the subjects which will be open for discussion to all the delegates as follows: Home missions, foreign missions, consecration of service and wealth, recruits for the ministry and proper provision for their maintenance. The conference will be adjourned at 11.50 and all the delegates will meet and celebrate holy communion.

TABERNACLE CHURCH.

The annual church meeting of the Tabernacle Baptist Church was held recently, when reports for the past year were read and adopted. Marked improvement in the various departments was evident, the spiritual life of the church appears to be deepened and intensified, the prayer services having been helpful and well attended. The Sunday school work and also the finances being in a hopeful condition. The pastor, Rev. Byron H. West, has now completed his second year's ministry. His faithful labor and earnest preaching in the past given the church abundant hope that the year upon which it is now entering will be one of advance and improvement.

ANGELICAN

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Holy communion, 6 and 8 a.m.; matins and sermon by the Dean, 11 a.m.; special service (Armenian Christmas Festival), 3 p.m.; evening and sermon by the Dean, 7 p.m. Men's Bible Class omitted.

ST. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, Victoria West. Rev. R. Connell. At 11 a.m. morning prayer and holy communion; 2.30 p.m. Sunday School; 7 p.m. evening prayer.

ST. PAUL'S ROYAL NAVAL STATION AND GARRISON CHURCH, Esquimaux. Rev. R. Connell. At 11 a.m. morning prayer and holy communion; 2.30 p.m. Sunday School; 7 p.m. evening prayer.

ST. MARY'S, Burns Street, Oak Bay. At 8 a.m. holy communion; 11 a.m. matins and sermon; 7 p.m. evening and sermon. Rev. G. H. Andrews, M.A., rector.

ST. JOHN'S, Quadra Street. At 8 a.m. holy communion; 11 a.m. morning prayer; 2.30 p.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class; 7 p.m. evening. Rector, Rev. F. A. J. Chadwick, M.A. Visitors cordially welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

ST. PAUL'S, Henry Street, Victoria West. Dr. Maclean will preach 10.30 a.m. "An Appeal to Earnest Christians." 7.30 p.m. "Jealous for the Lord." Bible School at 2.30 p.m. Annual congregational meeting, Wednesday, January 23, at 8 p.m. The young people meet every Monday at 8 p.m.

ST. MARY'S, 2425 Stanley Avenue. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M.A., minister. Sabbath service, 11 a.m. Rev. E. E. Hardwick, 7.30 p.m. Mr. McCoy, subject, "The Aid of the Spirit." Sabbath School, 2.30 p.m. All welcome.

MEHRODIST

CENTENNIAL, Gorge Road. Rev. A. S. Colwell, B.A., pastor. At 11 a.m. "Healing of Centurion's Servant." 7.30 p.m. "The Renewal of All Things." All cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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Pastor, REV. J. JOHNSTON.
Morning at 11—Subject, "CAN A MAN FIND GOD?"
7.30—POPULAR EVENING SERVICE
SUBJECT: "If a Man Die, Shall He Live Again?" "Is All Human History a Phantom Reaching the Nothing It Set Out From?"
Organ Recital at 7. Special music. All seats free.
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NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE
Hall 118, Pemberton Block.
Dr. T. W. Butler will speak Sunday at 11 A.M. on "BE YE PERFECT."
7.30 P.M.—Subject, "Where Are We Going?"
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Cor. Pandora and Quadra Sts. Minister, REV. H. S. OSBORNE, B.D.
11 A.M.—THE PASTOR.
7.30 P.M.—THE PASTOR.
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7.30—The Pastor. Subject, "WILT THOU BE MADE WHOLE?"
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Corner Menzies and Michigan Streets. Pastor, REV. S. COOK.
11 A.M.—Subject, "A SAFE WAY OF TRAINING." Reception of members at close of service.
2.30 P.M.—Sabbath School session.
7.30 P.M.—Subject, "THE THINGS THAT CONQUER."
Hearty welcome to all.

First Presbyterian Church
Corner Quadra and Flagard Streets.
MINISTER: REV. JNO. GIBSON INKSTER
11 A.M.—
"Noah—the Radical"
7.30 P.M.—
"What's Going to Happen?"
Prairie visitors specially invited.

First Baptist Church
Rev. P. Clifton Parker Corner Quadra and Yates
A.M. — "THE HEAVENLY CITIZENSHIP"
P.M. — "FEEDING ON ASHES"

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Fairfield. Pastor, REV. B. H. WEST.
11 A.M.—"THE LENGTH OF GOD'S LOVE."
2.30 P.M.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7.30 P.M.—"THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST."
Strangers made welcome at this Gospel Church.

Emmanuel Baptist Church
Fernwood Car Terminus. REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON, Pastor.
Morning, 11—"JESUS AND FORGIVENESS OF SINS." Also CHILDREN'S ADDRESS.
Evening, 7.30—"CHRISTIANITY IN THE FIRST CENTURY AND NOW."
Strangers welcome.

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NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE, Hall 118, Pemberton Block. Dr. Butler will speak at 11 a.m. on "Be Ye Perfect." 7.30 p.m. subject, "Where Are We Going?"

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mounted the pavement in front of the Parliament Buildings, bounded from the stone curb at the edge of the lawn and crashed into a light standard, demolishing every one of the globes. The car was very badly smashed, and Robertson was taken away bleeding badly from wounds inflicted by the flying class of the shields. Another had accident took place at noon to-day at the corner of Bay Street and Government

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Miss Helen Stewart to Speak.—At the Unitarian Church to-morrow evening Miss Helen Stewart, Public Librarian, will address the congregation on the subject, "Light on the Minimum Wage."

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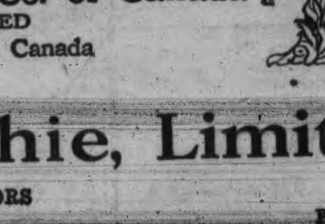
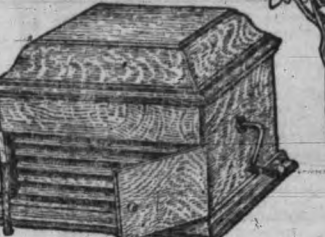
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ESQUIMALT POLL FOR PUBLIC OFFICES

Council, Trustees and Commissionship Are All Contested

A close race is anticipated in the Esquimalt elect to-day, there being considerable opposition in certain wards. The Board of School Trustees, too, will be somewhat changed by the polling, and the Police Commission will be altered as well. Reeve Cohen has not been opposed, and will therefore serve another term by acclamation. The following are the nominees for the Council: Ward One—J. W. Jones, J. E. Mesher, S. A. Pomeroy, J. H. Porter and T. D. Sedger (two to be elected). Ward Two—George Bridle, V. M. Spratt and George Wise (two to be elected). Ward Three—R. A. Anderson, E. J. P. Barnes and W. J. Chave (two to be elected). For the Police Commission C. H. Pomeroy is opposed by F. S. Stevens. E. Mantrop, Chairman of the Esquimalt Board, is a candidate for re-election to the School Board, and Capt. A. Mulcahy, a former member, as well as Miss Helen Stewart, are contestants for seats on the School Board.

FORMAL OPENING TO-NIGHT

Of Army and Navy Veterans' Clubrooms; Social Hour and Musical Programme.

To-night the Army and Navy Veterans will formally inaugurate their new club premises in the Pemberton Building with a reception and social evening, to which all ex-service men and women and their wives and sisters have been invited. Capt. Martin, R. N. Superintendent of the Navy Yard, and President of the organization, will perform the formal opening ceremony at 8 p.m., and it is hoped that by that hour most of the guests will have arrived. The Ladies Auxiliary has been co-operating with the parent body, and will have charge of the refreshments and other details concomitant with the enjoyment of visitors. An informal musical programme is to be rendered and card tables will be arranged for those who care to indulge in this pastime.

To Discuss Thrift Movement—A meeting will be held on Monday afternoon at four o'clock at the Belmont house, 14 W. Makovsk, Managing Secretary, British Columbia Committee of the War Savings and Thrift Stamp movement now being inaugurated by the Dominion Government, will explain the modus operandi of this means of assisting the finances of the country during the reconstruction period. A limited number of invitations have been issued, largely to the secretaries of patriotic and national societies; it is hoped, however, that all those interested in the steps being taken to deal with the reconstruction problems will make a point of attending.

FARMERS TO DISCUSS ORGANIZATION PLANS

Joint Meeting of Vancouver Island Farmers Called for January 23

For some years past the farmers of the province have been handicapped by having no organization to present a united front in the matter of bringing before the Government certain claims vital to the interests of the agricultural industry throughout British Columbia. For this reason more than ordinary interest attaches to the announcement that a meeting of all the farmers or organizations on Vancouver Island within the district known as District "A," under the Farmers' Institute Act, has been called for Thursday, January 23 at 10 a.m., at the Parliament Buildings, when the matter of organizing an association to represent farmers' interests will be considered.

From indications an excellent attendance is assured, and it is hoped to find means of pressing forward various claims to the Government and securing the different changes so essential in the interests of the agricultural industry on Vancouver Island. Many resolutions have been received particularly regarding "cheaper stumping" powder, and means to fight the panther pest that has almost destroyed sheep-raising in certain sections of the Island. Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, will address the conference, also the Coast Markets Commissioner, R. C. Abbott, will give an address in connection with not only marketing produce, but also buying to aid the co-operative associations that are being formed in different parts of the Island. It is hoped that Prof. Stevenson will also address the meeting in connection with the dairymen's regulations governing dairymen and supply of milk to the city.

The United Farmers of B. C. through their President, George H. Clark, have agreed to send representatives to this meeting, and in addition the Stockbreeders' Association, Dairymen's Association, Poultrymen's Association, Fruit-Growers' Association, have all been requested to do the same. The Honorary Secretary of the Advisory Board and the present member representing Vancouver, C. B. Winney-Griffiths, will present a report of the work done by the Board at its last session.

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OAK BAY ELECTION PROCEEDING TO-DAY Ratepayers Vote on By-law Authorizing Purchase of Park.

The electors of Oak Bay to-day choose not only representatives in the Council, but also part of the board to manage the educational affairs of the municipality, and also vote on an important by-law authorizing the purchase of the Oak Bay Park. The park by-law is of particular interest in so much that it makes possible the possession by the public of grounds which are easily the best for their purpose of any on the Island. It is the intention to use the park, should the by-law be passed upon favorably by the ratepayers, for athletic purposes and for the organized games of the school children.

Reeve Charles Wilson, of Oak Bay, will serve another term as the municipality's chief official by acclamation, no opponent having presented himself as a candidate for the re-election. The Council, however, will be somewhat changed by the election. Councillors Toms and Jameson having decided to retire. Of the old Council-Councillors Shalcross, Niven, McNeill and McKelvie are running again for office. The new candidates are Samuel James Drake, of Crescent Road; Arthur Douglas Macfarlane, of St. Ann Street; barrister, Arthur Ernest Mallett, of Wilmot Place, and William Noble, of Hampshire Terrace.

There will be three candidates for the School Board: Judge Lampman, long chairman of the Board; Thomas Ash, of Hampshire Road, and Mrs. Lucretia Hardie, of Oak Bay Avenue. The polling to-day is proceeding at the Oak Bay High School on Oak Bay Avenue, almost opposite the Municipal Hall. The polls, as usual, will remain open until 7 o'clock this evening.

PEOPLE ARE PAYING FOR PATIENT'S KEEP

Government Allowance is Insufficient, Says Hospital Board

That a sense of fairness was certainly lacking in the position taken regarding patients and Workmen's Compensation Act patients, in that the hospitals were expected to care for these cases at a rate of fees that could only land the institutions in bankruptcy, was the expression of opinion at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Jubilee Hospital last night. The Government allowance for the army patients being insufficient to meet the actual cost, the burden falls on the people of the City of Victoria, whose money makes up the deficit suffered under the present system. The Board passed a resolution that the matter should be placed promptly before the proper authorities, with a view to having the matter placed on a fair basis.

In the case of the Compensation Board's patients, it was decided to raise the rates from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per day, and the Vancouver hospitals will be asked to support the Jubilee Hospital in the stand taken. The report of the Secretary shows an unsatisfactory state of affairs during the past two months, the expenses being \$10,500 a month with a deficit for the period of \$6,462. The outlook for the year indicated a greater deficit than ever, and certain increases were needed to offset the increased cost of material and of help.

Nurses Scarce. Miss MacKenzie, the Lady Superintendent, was in favor of increasing the pay of probationers, and at the same time remarked that it was impossible to get nurses at all. So that even if a small increase were made, it would be no inducement for the young ladies to continue. A supervising nurse was also needed in the tubercular ward. These matters will be considered. Mrs. Rhodes was absent owing to illness, but on her behalf Mrs. Green put a suggestion before the Board to proceed with the new hospital building as a peace memorial. The idea was accepted as an exceedingly suitable proposal, and a committee was appointed to take the matter up with the public bodies of the city with a view to making an early start.

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Lighthouse Appointment Gazetted.—Official announcement is made in the Canada Gazette of the appointment of John Brixton, as keeper of the Carr Point Lighthouse, dating from January 4.

Scotch Concert Last Night—A large gathering assembled in the Odd Fellows' Hall last night for the very enjoyable concert given under the auspices of the St. Andrews and Caledonian Society. J. Dobie presided, and made an efficient chairman. The following programme was rendered, each of the numbers being warmly received: Pipe selection, Piper D. Cameron; song, "When You Come Home," E. Holt; reading, "Scotch Words," W.

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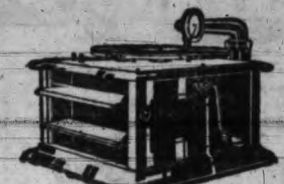
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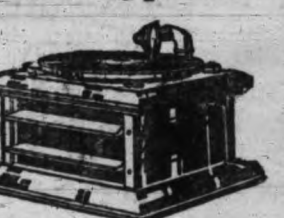
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STUBBORN DEFENCE STOPPED RUSHES

Outplaying Seattle from the first sound of the bell the Aristocrats lowered the colors of the league leaders and registered their first victory on the home ice last night in the Pacific Coast hockey race. In spite of the rain the biggest crowd that has turned out this season was on hand to see the Victoria septette repeat their victory over the Metropolitan and witness a hard, clean battle, marked by only two minor penalties in which the home players had the edge on the visitors throughout. After less than half a minute's play, Victoria took the lead through Barbour, and although Foyston beat Murray with a shot easier than a lot of the home custodian afterwards saved, Tobin put the Aristocrats ahead again before the end of the first period, and the same player found the net for the last counter of the game at the opening of the second period. Once at each end the puck was placed past the custodians, but each time for an off side goal.

Although the pace was hot throughout, Seattle kept the same septette on the ice to the end of the game, although Bobby Rowe, fighting hard to get one past Murray that would put him even with Cyclone Taylor for individual scoring honors, got a crack in his leg that the surgeon had to fix up during the interval between the second and last period.

Holmes Was Good.
Holmes was as strong as ever between the posts, but the home players were sending them in with more sting behind them than when Happy was in Victoria before, and more often. Rickey and Rowe put up a stubborn defence against the repeated onslaughts, but all three of the Aristocrats' goals were won as the result of that combination, which Lester Patrick was working hard to get installed in his aggregation until the flu put him out of business for a time. Tobin gave the pass to Barbour to hang up the first counter, and Johnson assisted Tobin for the last goal of the first period. Tobin got past Holmes with an assist from Dunderdale for Victoria's third goal.

Tobin a Headliner.
Tobin worked hard for everything he got last night, and put himself among the headliners on the individual scoring record. In none of the Aristocrats' five games has the energetic wing man been off the ice for a minute, and he finished every game with a little in hand for a last minute rally to add to the lead or even up the score. He missed few opportunities of putting them in at all angles, and nearly all were well directed shots with a good chance of scoring.

Ernie Johnson, as a rover, was a great success, and the erstwhile Portland player is solid with the Victoria fans. The big building rang with yells for the Bull Moose as he sped down the ice in the first two periods in some of his characteristic efforts, and in the last period, as time and again he stopped Foyston, Morris or Cully Wilson. With Genge playing the best defensive game he has played this year, and Loughlin also working hard, the splendid combined efforts of the Metropolitan were repeatedly broken up within a dozen yards of Murray's net.

Oatman and Barbour.
Dunderdale did not take the ice with the original septette, but the first period was not very old before he came on to give Oatman a spell. The Aristocrats' captain played sterling hockey every minute he was on the ice, but the "frit" is a hard jinx to completely shake, and he could not last the hot pace throughout the game without feeling some effects. Barbour, alternating with him, and working hard, although not with as much accuracy as he has shown in some of the games this season, found the net for the first counter with one that Tobin sent him. When Dunderdale got on the ice he put in a lot of hard work, and although once or twice he was slow in sending in his shots at Holmes, they were whistling through the air when they did leave his stick. Oatman showed himself a capable leader, and when he is able to stay on the ice for the whole game it will make a big difference to the home players.

Patrick Directing.
Lester Patrick was on hand and the veteran manager, wrapped up in rugs after his re-appearance at the game since his illness, directed the play of the home puck-chasers from



CHARLIE TOBIN

the former Portland player, who starred in the game against the Mets at the Willow Arena last night. Tobin had a hand in each of the three goals. He gave the assist to Barbour for the first counter, and beat Holmes a couple of times for the other two goals of the game.

his seat on the sidelines. The experienced advice of the old batter showed its effect yesterday, and the fans are hoping that he will soon be taking as active a part as ever with the Aristocratic puck-chasers again.

The First Period.
With the first goal scored when the period was only twenty-six seconds old the home men were away from the start and passing in a manner that looked good to the enthusiastic fans delighted with the way the game opened. Tobin was away again as soon as the puck was in play and tested Holmes half a dozen times in as many minutes. Genge, after stopping some of the hard efforts by sheer weight, was in a position to give it the direction towards the Seattle net. Dunderdale hooked in two or three from the left, but Holmes on most occasions had a chance to size up the direction of the shot before it reached him. Murray had saved one from Bernie Morris before Foyston got the solitary Seattle goal, but the home custodian made a poor clearance.

Clearances Safe.
Murray had his busiest time during the second period, although he was not worried as much as the goalie at the other end of the ice owing to the hard checking and safe clearances. Johnson, Loughlin and Genge were making Cully Wilson tried several long distance shots, evidently trying to repeat his performance in the overtime game at Vancouver and get one in from the blue line. Those that did get as far as Murray, the little custodian, was ready for.

The speediest skaters on both sides had none too much speed for the pace set in the last period. Every Metropolitan was putting in every minute he had to chalk up the two counters, and after Foyston had sent one in with a force that got Murray a cheer when he saved it, the Seattle forward was carefully blanketed and given no opportunity to repeat the performance. Oatman, who had been taking a rest in the last period, came on for Barbour with nine minutes to play and was immediately on a rampage towards Holmes. Loughlin made two spectacular rushes, and gave Dunderdale a good opportunity, but Holmes saved the shot.

The Line-Up.
Victoria. Seattle.
Murray Goal Holmes
Loughlin L. Defence Rickey
Genge R. Defence Howe
Johnson Rover Walker
Barbour Centre Morris
Tobin R. Wing Wilson
Oatman L. Wing Foyston

Summary.
First period—1, Victoria, Barbour from Tobin, 26; 2, Seattle, Foyston, 12:18; 3, Tobin from Johnson, 4:31.
Second period—4, Tobin from Dunderdale, 46.
Third period—None.

Penalties.
First period—None.
Second period—None.
Third period—Dunderdale (Victoria), and Wilson (Seattle), (three minutes).

Substitutes.
First period—Dunderdale for Oatman; Oatman for Barbour; Barbour for Foyston.
Second period—Oatman for Barbour; Barbour for Foyston.
Third period—Barbour for Oatman; Oatman for Barbour.

BURNS GIVES FANS SOME GOOD BOUTS

Ex-Champion Says He Will
Bring Canadian Light-
weight to Vancouver

Vancouver, Jan. 17.—Two six-round and three four-round bouts comprised the card which Tommy Burns arranged for the Vancouver and district smelter this evening, and which gave the boxing fans full satisfaction, although the event, between Leo Hock and Harry Anderson, of Seattle, was simply a sparring match.

Bert Hughes, of Vancouver, and Lucky Morrow, of Seattle, gave one of the prettiest and hardest bouts seen in the city for some months. The Vancouver featherweight was lucky to get the draw announced by the referee. In the last round Morrow gave Hughes quite a grueling, and it was only with difficulty that the local lad weathered it. Joe Nestman and Sailor Malone gave a gratifying exhibition, it being nearly curtains for the sailor half way through the second round. He took part of the count and the fight was saved him. In the third he was sent to the ropes two or three times. The decision went to Nestman.

There was a brisk bout between two returned soldiers, Pte. Griffith, of Saskatoon, and Pte. Horne, Vancouver. Both boxed well, and a draw was declared. Tommy Burns announced his determination to bring Anderson, who claims the lightweight championship of Canada, against Cloney Tait, a lightweight from Alberta, and he threw out the suggestion that anyone who was opposed to good clean boxing these days should be regarded as a hypocrite. It had been one of the greatest recreations and trainings of British and Allied soldiers.

ONTARIO HOCKEY.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—By a score of 7 to 4, Aura Lee to-night defeated Parkdale in the Junior O. H. A. fixture at the Arena.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—Upper Canada College failed to get a goal at the "prep" O. H. A. Junior game this afternoon with the University of Toronto schools, and the score was 10 to 9 in favor of U. T. S.

PANTOMIME PLAYS TO CAPACITY HOUSES

Red Cross Production at Princess Theatre Closes on Tuesday

"The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe"—the Christmas pantomime now running at the Princess Theatre—is merrily wending its successful way towards the end of its run on Tuesday night next. Capacity houses have been the order of the week, and many would-be patrons have been turned away during the past three nights. Those who have not yet seen this merry production should make immediate application for tickets as the pantomime will positively terminate on Tuesday evening.

With the passage of time the principals and every member of the cast have acquired a professional ease, and the production goes with a tilt and swing, only punctuated by the laughter of the house which has greeted each performance.

BEAT 24 CHESS OPPONENTS.
Chicago, Jan. 18.—Jose Roud Capablanca, the Cuban chess master, playing twenty-four opponents simultaneously at the Illinois Athletic Club last night, won all the games.

FRENCH FEATHERWEIGHT WINNER AT MONTREAL

Montreal, Jan. 18.—Benny Valgar, the French featherweight, defeated Joe Mooney in the feature bout of the new boxing club here last night. Valgar, who is making his initial appearance in Montreal, danced around Mooney, landing on him at will and never leaving any doubt as to the outcome of the bout. Valgar did his best to put his opponent away, but was unable to do so owing to the amount of weight he was conceding in the match.

Superior, Wis., Jan. 18.—Roy Moore, of Minneapolis, stopped Gene Gannon, of Buffalo, N. Y., in the sixth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here last night.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Tommy Sheehan, of Chicago, was knocked out by Jack Malone, of St. Paul, in the third round of a scheduled ten-round boxing contest here last night. Mike Ertley, of St. Paul, outpointed Johnny Richie, of Chicago, in the opinion of newspapermen.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 18.—Pete Hartley, of New York, won a fast 14-round fight with Phil Bloom, of Brooklyn, last night.

MINOR LEAGUES ARE NOW UNDER OWN CONTROL

New York, Jan. 18.—The concluding session of a week of conferences between major and minor league baseball club owners was held here to-day, the principal business being the signing of a new working agreement to take the place of the national agreement abrogated by mutual consent of the two major organizations and the association of minor leagues. The minors now will be under control of their own board of arbitration until 1921. In case of future disputes, it has been proposed that the minors and majors each appoint a representative and these two will appoint a referee. This committee of three will adjust all differences which may arise.

SAANICH ELECTORS DETERMINE TO-DAY REEVE OF DISTRICT

Police Commissionship Takes
Next Place in General
Interest

POLLING IN THREE WARDS FOR COUNCIL

For the third time in recent years the electors of Saanich have an opportunity of voting to-day for Reeve. The position of the municipality as one of the most populous and enterprising in the province, whose officials always stand high in the councils of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, makes the office of Chairman keenly sought. The honor has been borne with judgment and energy in the last few years, and the electors in making their choice have again to select from members of the Council. Councillor Harold Diggon is a citizen with Victoria business connections, widely known for fraternal and social activities, who resides in a favored residential suburb whose interests he has recently indefatigably represented on the Council. In spite of the fact that the three great needs of the Gorge area—sewerage, road improvements apart from trunk thoroughfares and fire protection have dragged in carrying out—Mr. Diggon has loyally backed the policy inaugurated in 1914, of leaving the actual conduct of affairs largely to efficient officials, while the Council confines itself to policy.

Mr. Jones came back to the Council after several years of absence, and farmer as well as contractor, he has again shown a full appreciation of the needs of a district which has no parallel in British Columbia. It has not been easy to reconcile the claims of an urban overflow from the city, congested in the most diverse physical conditions, with those of the agricultural interests, yet Mr. Jones has worked hard with his colleagues.

Thus the candidates seeking the suffrages of the residents of the municipality as well as a large body of non-resident freeholders are men of municipal experience, practically all on one policy, and depending almost entirely on personal following backed by organization to carry the day at the polls.

Police Commission.
The whole body of electors has also an opportunity to choose a Police Commissioner. It is not an office likely to gain friends and the candidates are men of municipal experience, both residents of Ward II. Ex-Councillor Carey has been a firm friend of the working men in his ward during a period of industrial depression, while P. W. Dempster served a term as an appointed Commissioner during which period economies were effected in the Department.

Three Councillors.
In three of the wards the voters will also choose councillors. In Ward Three Trustee George F. Watson is seeking to succeed his friend Councillor Somers, and is opposed by a former councillor, F. V. Hobbs. The poll in this ward is always small, the numbers on the electorate being limited. Consisting of Gordon Head and Cadboro Bay districts, it is purely a rural ward.

In Ward Five, also an agricultural ward, occupying the Royal Oak area, Councillor Pim is opposed by J. G. Elliott. The vote cast here will be small.

In Ward Seven a different condition applies, the ward being suburban in character. Ernest Orr, who was de-

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feated last year by a small majority, is again in the running, opposed by T. Dooley, and Mrs. Lowery, a lady backed by the Women's Institute of the district. The poll is expected to be heavy.

Headquarters of the candidates are established in the city. The votes will be counted at the district polling stations, and later the ballot boxes will be removed to Royal Oak, where the official count will be made by Returning Officer R. R. F. Sewell.

The Polling Stations.
Mr. Sewell has made the following arrangements for the poll:
Ward One—Deputy, Major M. A. Curwen; place, Cedar Hill School; number on list, 1,370.
Ward Two—Deputy, Angus Polson; place, Tolmie School; number on list, 1,307.
Ward Three—Deputy, H. A. McNaughton; place, Gordon Head Hall; number on list, 545.
Ward Four—Deputy, W. Cayzer; place, McKenzie School; number on list, 1,708.
Ward Five—Deputy, W. B. Kinnaird; place, Royal Oak School; number on list, 494.
Ward Six—Deputy, George Stewart; place, Temperance Hall; number on list, 408.
Ward Seven—Deputy, F. Butterfield;

place, Tillicum School; number on list, 1,480.
The ninety-three voters in Craigflower School district are not called upon this year to vote, the trustees having been returned by acclamation. The total on the list is thus 7,395.

WILL AWARD MEDALS TO RED CROSS GOLFERS

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Red Cross medals for golfers who aided in raising more than \$500,000 last summer will be awarded to-night at the annual meeting of the Western Golf Association, which will hold a jubilee dinner for the Red Cross golfers before re-electing officers and awarding the various championships. Re-election of President Charles F. Thompson, of Chicago, and his fellow officers is assured.

RUN OF 307.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Jacob Schaefer to-night scored a run of 307 in his 3500 point ball line, a record match with Welker Cochran, tying Champion Hoppe's and Cochran's best runs. The score at the end of the tenth block to-night stood 5,000 to 2,537 in Schaefer's favor.



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BUSINESS IS BRISK

In New and Used Cars, Cartier Bros. Report Active Market.

Though this is the particular time of year when the automobile trade is not supposed to be at its most flourishing period, yet there continues to be a fair amount of business done by dealers in both new and used cars. In fact, some of the distributors for new cars who have just recently received shipments have found no difficulty whatever in placing them almost immediately.

According to Cartier Bros., the used car trade is not very far behind in the matter of the briskness of the market, and some very good bargains have been offered by this concern during the past week which proved too tempting to be passed by.

AUTO ASSOCIATION

READY FOR SEASON

President McGregor Looks Forward to Biggest Year in History

"The Island Automobile Association is preparing for the biggest year in its history," says Capt. George McGregor, president of the local club. "The touring and information bureau which has carried on the principal work of the club during past years, will be wholly in charge of the secretary. Road-making, too, will receive careful attention for this work is most essential. Calls are made constantly on the club from up Island points for signs to be erected. "There is always more or less controversy in any association and we have our share, but I want to say that before anyone starts anything of this kind he should ask, 'What have I done for my club?' and then get down to work."

"Across the line men of civic pride are building strong automobile organizations and it is only through the support of such men that associations of this kind can accomplish their aims."

Free Information.

The club is ready at all times to furnish detailed touring information without charge. In the club's office will be found complete sets of maps showing all the roads suitable for automobile travel both in Canada and in the United States. The new strip maps of the Island issued last year proved a boon to the visiting motorist as well as local people. The secretary is now at work on similar style maps covering the entire Georgian Circuit. "As I said," continued Capt. McGregor, "we are looking for a big year and at its end I am sure we are going to be more appreciated as a club than we have ever been before."

WILL DEAL SOLELY IN ACCESSORIES

F. G. Woods Opens New Premises on Douglas Street; is Well-Known

F. G. Woods has opened up new premises at 1316 Douglas Street, which is the first establishment of its kind in the city in that he handles auto tires and accessories absolutely independent of any garage or motor car business.

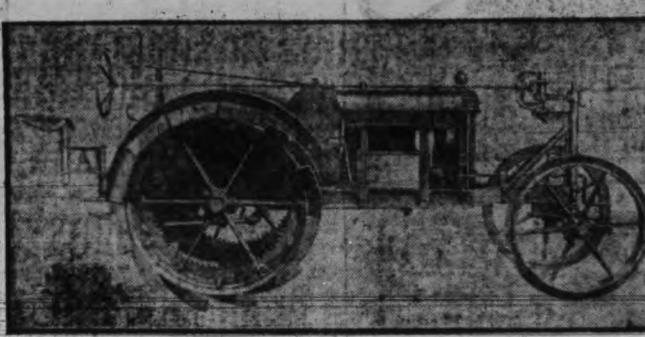
The automobile business and its kindred branches have come to such a marvelous degree that it is believed by some that the day is not far distant when the sale of automobiles, the repair of automobiles and the sale of accessories will be dealt with largely on an independent basis. Across the border independent accessory shops have been very successfully carried on for some time past, and in Vancouver there are now about a dozen such places doing business.

Mr. Woods formerly operated in the used car business on Cook Street, and he has been known in the city in connection with the automobile trade for many years. It was his close and intimate knowledge of the trade that enabled him to observe and take advantage of the opportunity which presented itself of a successful business opening in this line.

The premises on Douglas Street have been renovated and fitted up suitably, and the fine window display gives evidence of the variety of lines carried, which includes wire wheels, tires of different manufacture, paints, varnishes, oils, bumpers, lamps, jacks, pumps and batteries.

Mr. Wood is prepared to carry on repair work and vulcanizing, and his stock will also include a full line of truck tires as well as Ford parts and other accessories.

EVERY TRACTOR FOR MEDIUM SIZED FARMS HANDLED HERE



One of the most complete lines of tractors to be found in any city on the Pacific Coast is carried by Thomas Plimley, whose tractor branch of the big institution on Broughton Street is under the management of Captain Hagar.

Three lines of tractors are kept in stock. The Beeman garden tractor is a handy little machine that brings gladness to the heart of the man who has a fairly good sized plot of ground to handle. It will do almost anything—even to sawing wood and operating a washing machine. It is so simple that women and children can operate it. This little machine, with its attachments, will carry out with ease all the work connected with a garden from start to finish. It will cultivate three or four rows at a time.

Demonstrations of these machines will be made in the strawberry patches of Gordon Head on Saturday next on the grounds of Mr. McLaughlin. If the demonstration is successful, it is

understood that a number of the tractors will be ordered. The strawberry growers at Keating are also anxious to see how the Beeman works out and arrangements will be made for demonstrations at the earliest possible moment.

For small farm work Plimley's advice is the use of the Avery 5-16 horsepower tractor, a photograph of which is shown on this page. It is designed to pull a three-horse load. The tractor, because of its greater speed and steady operation, will ordinarily accomplish as much work in a day as four horses.

The Heider 12-20 horsepower tractor claims ten years of actual field work and a record of efficient service to warrant its introduction to the farmers of Vancouver Island who are operating on a larger scale. It is a real all-purpose tractor for use every day in the year. The raising and lowering of the ploughs and other attachments is done by lever without the driver leaving his seat.

McLAUGHLIN MODELS

PROVE ATTRACTIVE

Four of 1919 Series Sold First Day Out of Carload Shipment

A striking illustration of the popularity of the McLaughlin passenger car was given on Tuesday, when a carload shipment was received by H. A. Davie, local distributor and four of the cars were sold the same day. Indications are that the demand will exceed the supply, but Mr. Davie holds out hope that he will be in a position to handle the situation, and states that six carloads at present on order from the factories should reach the city in the very near future.

The 1919 model has attracted considerable attention on the streets, the quiet running motor, splendid upholstery and fine body finish being among the features that place the car on a high plane with automobile owners.

An interview with Mr. Davie indicates that the purchaser of a McLaughlin car between now and the end of the 1919 season is not running any chance that the price will be subject to further change during that period.

"I have just received a letter from the Home Office," said Mr. Davie, "containing the revised price schedule of effective January 1, covering the various McLaughlin models during the remainder of the season. Ten models have been reduced in price and the other two remain untouched."

"There has been considerable speculation as to what the McLaughlin Motor Company was going to do about the prices of their cars, as the close of the war left things in such an uncertain condition regarding the price and quantities of raw material available that a good many people felt it would be impossible for the really big manufacturers to find their bearings for some time to come."

"This prompt action on the part of

the company shows that they have been able to clear the situation up sooner than anybody expected, and I for one am delighted with the announcement so early in the season."

"Their war orders which have been demanding the major part of their energies have been completed, and the announcement of the present prices is evidence that the McLaughlin Motor Company now has a measure of the situation and sufficient material is in sight that will permit layout of a definite building schedule which again proves the buyer of a McLaughlin automobile is at all times protected against unwarranted price changes."

"Orders for McLaughlin cars are piling up on us very fast, and I feel reasonably sure that we shall be able to take care of the greater part of them within reasonable time. We shall continue to follow our old policy of filling orders, and will make every effort to see that no favoritism is shown our waiting list, which plan has worked out so admirably in the past."

"McLaughlin enthusiasts appreciate the importance of this announcement because all uncertainty has now been removed, both as to the possibility of getting McLaughlin cars this year and the possibility of the prices being raised or lowered."

BEATS ALL RECORDS

Automobile Licenses in Washington for 1918 Total 124,500.

Assuming an almost unbelievable total exceeding 124,500, automobile licenses issued in the State of Washington during 1918 surpass the number issued in 1917 by nearly 100 per cent. Records in the office of the Automobile Club of Western Washington show that 63,300 licenses was the total for 1917. King County's total for 1918 is given as 34,741.

Figuring Washington's present population at a round 1,500,000 it is seen that approximately one person in twelve is the owner of a motor car in the state.

Indicative of the wonderful growth of the automobile industry in this state are figures taken from the records of the Automobile Club of Western Washington showing that in 1913 there were registered in the state 20,000 cars and that in 1914 fourteen years ago—twenty cars were in operation.

McLAUGHLIN'S

1919—PRICE LIST—1919

"H" Series—Prices Effective Jan. 10, 1919, F.O.B. Victoria

Model	Factory Equipment
H-62	\$1,765
H-63	\$1,765
H-62 Special	\$1,840
H-63 Special	\$1,840
H-62 Coupe	\$2,395
H-63 Sedan	\$2,580
H-44 Regular	\$2,255
H-45 Regular	\$2,255
H-44 Special	\$2,390
H-45 Special	\$2,390
H-45 Extra Special	\$2,440
H-46 Coupe	\$3,040
H-47 Sedan	\$3,420
H-49	\$2,760

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McLaughlin Light Six; good tires and just overhauled. Price	\$1,100.00
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Now quite settled in the new premises on Johnson Street, formerly Plimley's garage, R. E. McMorran announces "business as usual," and he is glad to note that in addition to the long list of old patrons, a substantial number of new ones have called upon him at his new headquarters.

Mr. McMorran now has his stock straightened out, and the show room set off to best advantage. He is much pleased with the new location, and states that the facilities for catering to the needs of his patrons will be greatly improved over conditions at his former place of business on View Street.

It is the intention of Mr. McMorran to maintain one of the best equipped garages in the province, and with this end in view he has in his employ only first class workmen who will give strict attention to every detail of the work.

"We expect to go forward on merit alone," said Mr. McMorran, and we mean to win and keep the goodwill of our customers by paying careful heed to the needs of the public in everything pertaining to the automobile trade.

"It is our intention to keep well to the front in every line of the trade, and we are carrying an up-to-date stock of accessories," he concluded.

They say heat expands, but we never knew a ton of coal to get any larger by being shovelled into the furnace.

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There are motorists who can judge within one or two miles an hour of the actual speed at which their cars are travelling. Such men are not only unusual judges of pace; they are also in the closest acquaintance with the cars they drive and the roads they travel. On a strange road and at the wheel of a different car, even trained judgment of speed would be of little use to them. The better balanced, and the easier riding a car may be, the less is the impression of speed it gives its driver and those who ride with him.

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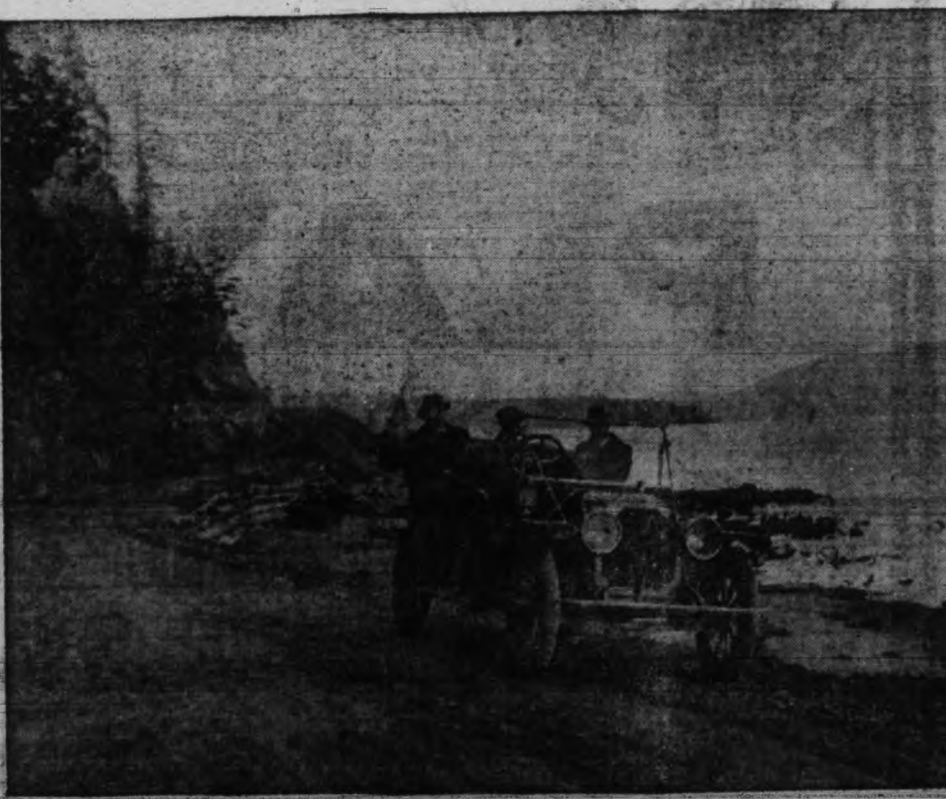
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In a judgment just rendered by the Quebec Utilities Commission, in a case in which the Commission's jurisdiction was questioned, it is held that the legal authority and powers of the Board extend to a limited degree over lines of boats, steamers and other vessels employed in the carrying trade within the borders of the province of Quebec.

Sale No. 1467

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed, will sell by Public Auction, at the premises lately occupied by Fred Bittanourt, at 1307 Broad Street, on

Wednesday, Jan. 22

at 2 o'clock, the whole of the Stock, including:

Oak Sideboard, Bureaus and Stands, long Show Tables, 12 Chairs, 12 bent Steel Chairs, 3 Steel Stools, Smith Premier and other Typewriting Machines, Scales, Sashes and Sash Frames, Doors, Glass, Guns, Pictures, a quantity of Iron Pipes, Tools, Locks, Rivetting Machine, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Pillows, Lino, Carpets, Blacksmiths' Bellows, Crockery, Kitchen Goods, 2 Oil Tanks, Nails, about 100 Tin Flasks, Old English Mirror, E. Fittings and Chandeliers, Ornaments, Vases, and other goods too numerous to mention.

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Tuesday, Jan. 21

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Household Furniture and Effects

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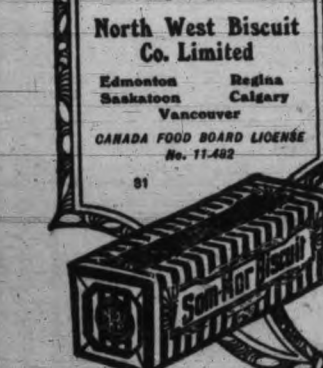
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MACHINISTS VOTE TO STRIKE FEBRUARY 3

Oakland, Cal. Jan. 18.—Machinists employed in outside ships—not any in East Bay or San Francisco shipyards or any metal craft under Government control or supervision—have voted to strike February 3, as a result of refusal of the California Metal Trades and California Foundry-men's Association to accept either of two compromise propositions offered by the Iron Trades Council in lieu of the terms of the May Award last October.

TO TRANSFER SOPHIA INQUIRY TO VANCOUVER

Evidence of Cedar's Officers Will Be Taken on January 27

As it is more convenient for the United States lighthouse tender to go to Vancouver than it is to come to Victoria, arrangements have been completed for the holding of the next session of the Princess Sophia inquiry at Vancouver.

The Cedar will arrive at Vancouver on January 27, and the testimony of the vessel's officers will be taken on that date. The inquiry, before Mr. Justice Morrison and Capt. E. H. Martin, R. N., and J. D. Macpherson, West Commissioner, assessors, will open at 10 o'clock on the morning of January 27.

SCHOONERS TO REPAIR HERE.

The five-masted auxiliary schooners Justice and Seneca, two of the forty vessels built by the Foundation Company at its yards across the border to the order of the French Government, reached port at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Port Angeles. Both vessels were bound out on their maiden voyages to France and experienced very heavy weather outside. The Justice has minor engine-room trouble and came in under her own steam. The Seneca damaged a cylinder head and was towed across the Straits. The two vessels will effect repairs at this port before again putting to sea.

SENATOR TO RESUME IN ORIENTAL TRADE

Admiral Line to Inaugurate Cabin Passenger Service

KAMO MARU HERE ON LAST VOYAGE

N. Y. K. Vessel Was Piloted Across the Pacific by Capt. M. Nakamura

In charge of a new skipper, Capt. M. Nakamura, who, since Capt. R. Shimidzu, the N. Y. K. liner Kamo Maru, on her last inward voyage in the trans-Pacific service, reached port at 1 o'clock this morning after a stormy passage from the Orient.

For several days before making a landfall the Kamo Maru bucked heavy southeasterly and southwesterly gales which caused her to slow down. But for this, Capt. Nakamura states, the liner would have made William Head at midnight. As it was the Kamo Maru steamed into the quarantine bay at 11 o'clock this morning. Prominent among the passengers was Mme. Catherine Breshko Breshkovskaya, "Grandmother of the Russian Revolution," bound for the United States and France. The first-class passengers coming ashore here were Miss S. E. Attwell, Mrs. M. Watson and Master G. J. Watson. Four second cabin and five Japanese stowage passengers also disembarked here.

The liner carried twenty-eight saloon, ten second-class and eighty-three stowage passengers are routed through to Seattle. The stowage list included seventy-one Russian refugees.

First Time Across.

This is the first time Capt. Nakamura has been to Victoria. He was master of the Japanese liner Miyako Maru before that vessel was torpedoed and later commanded freighters plying in the round-the-world trade via the Panama Canal.

Capt. Nakamura is taking a holiday in Japan. On her return to the Orient the Kamo Maru will, after completing the discharge of her cargo at Kobe, go to Yokohama to be outfitted for the European trade. The Atsuta Maru, Capt. Nakamura says, is making another trip here before being withdrawn. These are the only vessels that will be withdrawn from the company's trans-Pacific service.

Go to Vancouver.

The Kamo Maru brought in 7,000 tons of general Oriental cargo. On this occasion she has an exceptionally large shipment of freight for Vancouver, and arrangements have been made to send the vessel to the Mainland port to discharge. The Vancouver shipment amounts to 1,435 tons. The liner has 5,112 tons for Seattle and overland including a large silk shipment.

SENATOR TO RESUME IN ORIENTAL TRADE

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The Pacific Steamship Company is establishing a new trans-Pacific cabin passenger service with the dispatch of the steamship Senator from Seattle on February 25 for China, Japan and India. R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents for the company, have been advised by circular of the new development, but up to the present the agents are unable to state whether or not the steamship will touch Victoria on her outward voyage.

Vessels of the Admiral Line heretofore plying in the Oriental service have furnished intermittent steamer passenger service between Seattle, Victoria, Oriental ports and Singapore, but the sailing of the Senator next month will be the first venture of the line in the cabin passenger carrying trade to the Far East. The service to the Far East will be increased as soon as additional passenger vessels are available. The Senator will carry first cabin passengers only, and it is expected that she will be booked to capacity by the date of sailing.

The Senator can carry sixty cabin passengers. Freight and stowage service to the Orient and Singapore was inaugurated by the Pacific Steamship Company over a year ago, and regular sailings were maintained by the steamships Senator and Umatilla.

Last March the Umatilla was wrecked at Imboyesaki, Japan, and became a total loss. Unsuccessful efforts have been made to salvage the Umatilla.

CAPT. J. GRIFFITHS IS AN OLD FRIEND OF BARON KONDO

Among the list of officials who came to Victoria to meet Baron Rempel Kondo was Capt. James Griffiths, pioneer shipping man of the Pacific Northwest who was the first managing agent of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha on this coast.

When the N. Y. K. planned its service between the Orient and the North Pacific coast in 1896, Capt. Griffiths went to Tokyo and negotiated the arrangements for the new line between the N. Y. K. and the Great Northern Railway Co. The Mike Maru was the first vessel of the fleet to cross the Pacific in this service, arriving on the coast August 24, 1896. She was the vanguard of the great fleet of Japanese steamships now plying on this route.

On the occasion of Capt. Griffiths' first visit to Tokyo, he and R. Kondo became close friends and have kept in touch with each other for the past twenty-two years.

IS APPOINTED ASSISTANT MANAGER

E. E. Jenkins, who has been the head of the Foundation Purchasing Department covering the entire operations of the company, has been appointed to the position of assistant manager on the North Pacific Coast under Earl Hipkins. Mr. Jenkins will supersede F. W. Drury, who will go to the Atlantic Coast.

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Some folks of the Santa Clara valley, California, have an idea that their famous product suffers much at hands of unwise cooks. Shall I tell you what they believe is the correct way to cook Prunes?

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In this way Madame Breshkovskaya, the little daughter of the Russian revolution, who arrived here on the Kamo Maru this afternoon, sums up the situation in Russia, and forebodes a re-birth of the great Slay nation.

After exciting adventures in Russia, Madame Breshkovskaya, having escaped from the clutches of the Bolsheviks, is on her way to friends in the Eastern States, it being her intention to proceed to Boston. Regarding her future movements she would say little on her arrival here, but intimated that she might visit Washington, D. C.

The little Grandmother of the great Russian revolution is a lady of striking appearance, and is easily distinguishable among the other passengers on the ship. Though short in stature, she has a commanding presence, and her determined decisive expression is ample evidence of her powerful character. She was dressed in the ordinary garb of Russian women, being closely muffled with a large woollen shawl, after the fashion of the peasantry. Under her snow white hair, she has piercing close-set eyes which seem to bore right through those to whom she is talking, and an aquiline nose. She talks English with a pronounced foreign accent, but in a clear-cut, deliberate fashion that shows plainly her well-known traits of character.

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Mail orders from Victoria received and carefully filed by the Avenue Theatre Management in order of arrival. Regular Box Office Seat Sale opens Monday, Jan. 20.

Mail Orders must be accompanied by self-addressed envelope and cheque, including War Tax of 10 per cent.



DOMINION

You may, perhaps, remember Dorothy Gish's wonderful acting as the Little Disturber in "Hearts of the World." D. W. Griffith's great war picture, in "The Hun Within," the special Paramount-Artcraft picture produced under Chester Withey's direction, which is being shown at the Dominion Theatre this week, she does some notable acting as Beth, the pretty American girl, who is the heroine of the picture. The Comedy Roaring Lions and Wedding Bells is too good to be missed.

PANTAGES

Kyra, the Oriental dancer, and her company will headline the programme at the Pantages for the coming week, commencing with the matinee on Monday afternoon. They will offer a most varied programme of artistic dances, amongst which will be featured the following: "East Indian Nautch," "Assyrian Shawl," "Egyptian Nautch," "Tentative Century," "Jazz Egyptian," "Burmese Temple Dance," and "Death of the Cobra." Kyra was for years studying under the most renowned exponents of dancing in the Far East, and has gained much knowledge of the meaning of motions as used in those dances. A most elaborate production is carried with this offering.

A spectacular novelty will be offered by Miss Jennie McLaughlin as "The Girl in the Moon," which is a distinct novelty and a pleasing number.

James Grady and his company will offer a comedy playlet entitled "The Toll Bridge," which is full of clever comedy lines and is a study of characters to a great degree.

Adams and Gohl are two colored gentlemen from the south, who have a large assortment of comedy staples to offer in their own individual manner. Laurie Ordway, the international comedienne, will be welcome with her

unlimited laugh-producing material that is sure to be a riot of fun.

Harry Wilson, a baritone of good voice and pleasing repertoire, will also be one of the popular offerings of this new programme of vaudeville acts.

The eighth episode of "A Fight for Millions" will conclude a most promising programme of vaudeville that will meet with the public demand for better entertainment.

ROYAL VICTORIA

Marguerite Clark's newest Paramount photoplay, "Out of a Clear Sky," which is being presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the last time today, is a worth while picture in every respect, as is evidenced by the applause that greets every showing. Miss Clark is delightful throughout as a dainty Belgian countess who comes to this country to escape an odious marriage with a German prince.

The balance of the programme contains two good comedy features in which Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew are featured.

"TWIN BEDS"

Salisbury Field and Margaret Mayo's famous comedy, "Twin Beds," with a great cast of Metropolitan artists and a production especially organized to play the principal cities of the Middle West and Pacific Coast, will be seen here at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday and Tuesday next. "Twin Beds" is said to be the most laughable play written in the last twenty years, and has had long runs in the prominent cities in the world. In attempting to describe "Twin Beds" every adjective in the dictionary that conveys the meaning of laughter, in any real form has been dragged from its hiding place. Some say it is "hilarious"; others will admit that it is "rollicking," while there are those that express their opinions by saying it is "cyclopic," but all will agree that it is quite the funniest play within memory, and is conceded by all to be the most diverting comedy ever written. The seat sale opened at the theatre yesterday morning.

LETTERS

Letters addressed to the editor and intended for publication must be short, and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for loss submitted to the editor.

THE MONS STAR.

To the Editor.—Kindly allow me a small space in your paper to give my opinion of those who are wearing on their left breasts a small piece of red, white and blue watered ribbon which signifies that they are entitled to the "Mons Star," an honor given, or we may say, a special decoration given, to the "Old Contemptibles," who, as Lloyd George said, "gathered the spears of the Prussian legions into their breasts and in perishing saved Europe."

Among those wearing this decoration are some military men of high standing who it would be difficult to get at, but nevertheless they are no more entitled to that Star than am I to the Iron Cross, and I am wearing it under a misapprehension. For, unless they served in France between August 4, 1914, and midnight, November 22-23, 1914, they can not wear it.

The British Government proposed giving a medal for all those that served in France to the end of 1915 and some genius proposed the same ribbon as the Mons Star. Nothing official has been given out about it, but the ribbon dealers have done quite a business in Mons Star ribbon lately.

As one justly entitled to this decoration, allow me to say, give them a medal. Half a dozen medals would not repay a man who has been twenty-four hours in that hell, but why rob the dead, for I can safely say seventy-five per cent. of those that should be wearing it lie under the sod.

At the recent conference of the Provincial Great War Veterans they proposed to leave the Mons Star to the "Old Contemptibles," they concluded it was their honor.

In Vancouver the remnants of the two hundred who left that city in August, 1914, now numbering about twenty—have organized to protest the cheapening of their decoration; yet there are those that are trying to convince people they were at Mons when they were sleeping peacefully in a cosy bed or anxiously looking up at a bulletin board when that show was on.

The color of the ribbon for those who served after the Old Army ceased to exist was still being debated in the British House and was still undecided at the arrival of the last men. The military authorities here know nothing about it, yet the men to whom I refer still insist upon wearing a decoration they certainly are not entitled to.

S. W. B.

CREMATORIUM

To the Editor.—Now that the time has arrived when selecting a new burial ground is almost a necessity, would it not be an opportune time for building a much-needed crematorium?

Public feeling in the past has been very much against the thought of burning the dead, and it has made very little progress in Canada. Lately, however, I think public sentiment has changed, and if it were to become an established form of disposing of our dead, at least one-half of the population would prefer it, if for not other reason than a sanitary one.

Without desecrating the dead who already lie buried there, a crematorium could be built on the site of the Old Quander Street Cemetery. It could be built by public subscription, donations from secret and benevolent societies and by a public tag-day—giving each and every one a chance to do their bit. The revenue could be used for the upkeep of a home for orphan or dependent children of soldiers, a ward in the hospital for sick or invalid dependents of the brave fellows, or in other benevolent ways, thus not only serving the dead but doing good to the living.

If the city does not care to take this up, then why not the Government? The revenue from a crematorium built in every large city of Canada would pay the increase in soldiers' pensions.

"One of the Weaker Sex," J. V. L. M.

"Got rid of chickens in favor of a garden—eh?"
"Yes, we used to get so attached to our fowls that we couldn't eat them. You don't feel that way about potatoes and onions."



Demobilizing Canada's Army

THE actual work of bringing back our soldiers to Canada and getting them out of khaki is in the hands of the Department of Militia and Defence. Complete plans have been made and machinery organized to handle the work. Every detail has been considered. The plan is harmonious and will work smoothly. It is described here. Notice how every contingency has been considered. How the soldier is cared for at every step. How everything is done for his comfort and to inform his waiting relatives and friends.

From France to England.

Peace is not yet signed. The victorious Canadian Corps is still a fighting unit. But as fast as the situation permits the Canadian Corps in France will be returned to Canada by units allotted, as far as possible, to the areas from which they came. These units will be reconstructed so as to include only men desirous of returning to the area to which the unit has been allotted.

The remainder of the Canadian forces overseas will be returned in drafts of 500 men for each area. Married men first, according to length of service. Then single men, according to length of service.

Preparing to Leave England.

Canada has been divided into 22 dispersal areas for demobilization, with a dispersal station for each.

1. The province of Prince Edward Island—Charlottetown.
2. The province of Nova Scotia—Halifax.
3. One half of New Brunswick—Moncton.
4. One half of New Brunswick—St. John.
5. The north country of Quebec down to Three Rivers—Quebec.
6. The remainder of Quebec—Montreal.
7. The Ottawa Valley and Ontario down to the Thousand Islands—Ottawa.
8. The Kingston district west to Oshawa and north to the Madawaska River—Kingston.
9. The Toronto district north to the French River and the north mining country—Toronto.
10. The Niagara Peninsula—Hamilton.
11. Southern Ontario—London.
12. From White River to the Lake of the Woods—Port Arthur.
13. All of Manitoba except the Brandon territory—Winnipeg.
14. The Brandon territory—Brandon.
15. Southern Saskatchewan—Regina.
16. Northern Saskatchewan—Saskatoon.
17. Southern Alberta—Medicine Hat.
18. From Calgary north to Nordegg—Calgary.
19. Northern Alberta—Edmonton.
20. All of British Columbia except 21 and 22—Vancouver.
21. Vancouver Island and the immediate mainland—Victoria.
22. Cariboo, Kootenay and Gale—Revelstoke.

Each soldier overseas chooses the dispersal area in Canada to which he wishes to go.

A report of the number of men for each dispersal area is cabled to Militia Headquarters.

As fast as they can be absorbed by the dispersal areas—a cable is sent to England for drafts.

Prior to sailing, a cable is sent from England stating how many men are coming and giving their occupations.

In this way arrangements are made to handle the men, to care for them, and to find employment for them.

Before a man leaves England he is medically examined, his discharge papers and other documents are made out. All delay in Canada over these details is avoided.

On the Ship.

The transport staff check the medical and pay documents. The Y.M.C.A. provides recreation and entertainment. Twenty-four hours before arrival in Canada a wireless is sent to the port giving details of any men who are sick and in need of hospital care, and general information that will ensure speedy transport from boat to train.

Wounded Men.

Wounded men are brought

back on hospital ships in the care of Army Medical Corps. They are taken on hospital trains to the various military hospitals and are in charge of the military authorities until medical treatment is complete.

In Port.

Halifax and St. John, are the ports of disembarkation in winter. Quebec and Montreal will also be used in summer. Immediately upon arrival of troops, the officer commanding wires a list to the Soldiers' Aid Commission in each province who notify the men's relatives. He also wires the Dispersal Station to prepare to handle a certain number of men. A third wire is sent to the general officer commanding each military district, through whom the dispersal station is again notified. This gives the dispersal station a double check.

Various voluntary organizations and the citizens of Halifax, St. John, Quebec and Montreal all give soldiers every assistance. Canteens and club rooms are open. Coffee and cigarettes are provided. Telegrams are sent for the men.

A permanent transportation committee of railroad experts, representing the C.P.R., the G.T.R., and the Canadian National Railways, arrange for special trains to meet every transport.

On the Train.

Troop trains consist of colonist, tourist, commissariat, standard sleeping and dining cars. A Y.M.C.A. representative is on every train.

Should a stop-over or delay become unavoidable, the men are provided for. Barracks and an ample food supply are available at the following divisional points: Halifax, Amherst, St. John, Mount Joli, Lévis, Megantic, Quebec, Montreal, Cochrane, North Bay, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, Revelstoke, Vancouver.

At the Dispersal Station.

The principal city in each area is the dispersal station. When the troop train pulls in, the relatives and friends of the men have been notified and are on hand. Voluntary organizations have motor cars at the station. Municipal reception committees are also on hand.

In each city the military have provided every accommodation for men staying overnight—barracks, rations. Out-of-town men who are given overnight leave and do not wish to remain in barracks can find the best of accommodation at hostels provided by voluntary organizations.

The Discharge.

Men taken sick en route are immediately received by the District Depot for medical treatment and receive pay as part of that unit.

All other men are paraded at the dispersal station. The officers here are so arranged that each man can pass quickly from one to the other and get away in the shortest time.

First comes the ordnance office. Here the men turn in their equipment, except steel helmets and clothing, which they are allowed to keep.

Next is the office of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. Here each man is given advice and information on the many questions relating to his return to civil life—employment, housing, vocational training, medical treatment.

Men who are unfit for their former employment are taken on the strength of the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment for vocational training. They are paid during this period and their dependents receive separation allowance.

Third is the paymaster's office. Here the men receive their back pay, clothing allowance of \$35.00 and first month's War Service Gratuity.

Finally the officer commanding issues each man his discharge certificate, and in the same office is a railway ticket agent who gives each man a ticket to his home town. The man is now a civilian.

Here also is an information and complaint office. All complaints are dealt with and information given by an officer specially chosen for that purpose.

The dispersal station will supply quarters and meals for men until train time.

The Government's care for the soldier does not end when he passes through the dispersal station. The important work of other departments will be covered in reports immediately following this.



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LIFE'S, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN.
BRIERS—At St. Joseph's Hospital, January 17, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Briers, a daughter.

DIED.
MOORE—On 16th inst., at family residence, 1745 Lee Avenue, Arthur Emory Moore, beloved husband of Mrs. May Moore, aged 43 years, and a native of Portage la Prairie. He is survived by widow and four children. Funeral will take place on Monday at 2:30 p. m. from Sands Funeral Chapel, Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

BROAD—On 17th inst., at the residence of Mrs. Markovic, 449 Quebec Street, Mrs. Isabella Broad.
 The remains will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel until Sunday morning, when the casket will be taken to the above residence, where service will take place at 2 o'clock on Monday. The Rev. Inkster will officiate. Interment at Ross Bay.

PENNEY—About Jan. 3, 1919, Thos. Grey Penney, aged 52 years; born in England.
 The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday, Jan. 20, 1919, at 2 p. m. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery. Funeral private. No flowers.

OLIVER—On Jan. 17, 1919, at Victoria, B. C., Adalbert W. Oliver, late of Ladner, B. C., aged 42 years; born in New Brunswick.
 The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday, Jan. 20, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROSS—On the 18th inst., at her home, 1159 Caledonia Avenue, Barbara Ross, aged 25 years and 10 months, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross.
 Funeral service on Monday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Chapel at 2:30, Rev. William Stevenson officiating. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Levy wish to thank the many friends for floral offerings received and for kind words of sympathy spoken during their recent and bereavement in the loss of their infant son.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Chemainus Valley Mining Company, Limited, N. P. L. will be held at the registered office of the Company, 112 Belmont Block, Victoria, B. C., on the 28th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 p. m.

EDWIN A. GARRETT, Jr., Secretary.

SAANICH

To the Electors of Ward III:
 Ladies and Gentlemen—I beg to announce that I am a candidate for the office of Councillor, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.
 Yours sincerely,
 FRANK V. HOBBS, Cadboro Bay.

Esquimalt Board of School Trustees

Notification is hereby given that the Esquimalt Schools will re-open on Monday, the 20th January, at the usual hour.

By order of the Board,
Peter Brogan, Secretary.

There will be a meeting of the Commanders of the War at 8 p. m. to-night at the new club rooms on Douglas Street.

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add boiling water and serve

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BULK OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO RETURN GERMANS NOW FEAR POLES AND CZECHS

Minimum Required by Circumstances Will Be Left in Europe
 Volunteer Forces Being Gathered to Oppose Invasion, Says Berlin Report

Washington, Jan. 18.—The American forces in France and in the occupied territory of Germany are to be reduced to the minimum strength "consistent with our national obligations," General March, Chief of Staff, said to-day. He added that Marshal Foch had been informed of this policy by General Pershing.

What strength is to be maintained is under discussion now between the Allied military officers and the German military officers. No reports have been received indicating the number of divisions to be supplied by the United States, but General March was positive that it would be far less than the thirty divisions given in unofficial reports as the probable American military contribution.

Agreement.
 The American force for the occupied zone was fixed by international agreement at the time the armistice was signed. General March said Marshal Foch undoubtedly would not permit a reduction of his total strength to a point where it would be inadequate to handle any possible disturbances.

Demobilization of all army units in the United States has been ordered. General March announced, with the exception of the regular army regiments needed for camp guard, purposes and various detachments necessary to continue the demobilization process. The total now listed for demobilization is 1,177,000.

Rate of Discharge.
 The troops actually returned from France for demobilization now number 104,000. This gives a grand total ordered discharged of 1,281,000, of whom 768,626 men and 51,593 officers have been discharged to date. The rate of discharge again is nearing the maximum capacity of 1,000 men per camp per day after an interruption by the holidays.

In addition to the regular regiments, the exceptions from the blanket demobilization order include the cavalry on the southern coast, coast artillery defences, detachments at ports and the medical personnel. This last force now numbers 25,000, but General March said it would be reduced gradually as the number of men it had to care for was reduced.

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Thousands Testify to the Lasting Benefit Secured From Catarrhazone

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One of the finest discoveries in medicine was given to the public when "Catarrhazone" was placed on the market about fifteen years ago. Since then thousands have been cured of asthma and catarrh. An interesting case is reported from Calgary in a letter from Creighton E. Thompson, who says:

"Nothing too strong can be said for Catarrhazone. I suffered four years from asthma in a way that would beggar description. I went through everything that man can suffer. I was told of Catarrhazone by a clerk in Friday's drug store and purchased a dollar package. It was worth hundreds to me in a week, and I place a priceless value on the benefit I have since derived. I strongly urge every sufferer to use Catarrhazone for Asthma, Bronchitis and Catarrh."

The one dollar package lasts two months; small size, 50¢; sample size, 25¢; all storekeepers and druggists, or the Catarrhazone Co., Kingston, Canada.

SINN FEINERS PLAN TO HOLD ASSEMBLY

Dublin, Jan. 18.—The Sinn Feiners intend to summon their own parliament and have already held two preliminary meetings. They treat the last election as an act of self-determination and look upon all persons elected, regardless of party, as members of the "Irish Republican Assembly." Accordingly they have issued invitations to their own members, as well as the Carsonites and Nationalists, but no member of the other party members is taking any notice of it.

Thirty-four Sinn Feiners elected are imputed in England and Ireland, while Patrick McCartan, Liam Mellows and Diarmid Lynch are in the United States. The situation has delayed the calling of the National Assembly.

When the Assembly is called the question is whether the Government will ignore it or suppress it. Two influences are operating on the judgment of the Lord Lieutenant, Viscount French, who is the real ruler. One side desires that the Sinn Feiners have an impracticable policy and will wear themselves out if let alone, while if they are harassed, they will retain the support of the country. Viscount French is said to lean to the former view. It is said that he is a Home Ruler, but will insist on obedience to the law.

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ANOTHER WARSHIP RETURNS TO STATES
 South Dakota Reaches New York With Troops; Also S. S. President Grant

New York, Jan. 18.—The American cruiser South Dakota and the steamship President Grant arrived here to-day from Brest with troops.
 On the warship were twenty-six officers and 1,372 men, representing the 56th Coast Artillery, and the 474th Aero Squadron, seven officers and 145 men.

Relief.
 Olympia, Wash., Jan. 18.—Senator G. R. Lamping, Seattle, a Republican, has announced that he intends to introduce into the State Senate here a bill directing the appropriation by the State of \$2,500,000 for the relief of returned soldiers and sailors.
 Newly soldiers who are residents of Washington would receive ten dollars a month for every month of service providing they have served two months. If the bill should be passed.

To Camp Lewis.
 Spokane, Jan. 18.—The 34th Field Artillery, the first unit of the 91st Division to return from France, will be welcomed to Washington during a two-hour stop here January 25. It was announced by the Chamber of Commerce to-day. The regiment, which comprises men of the Western States, left New York Friday, according to word received by the Chamber of Commerce to-day. It is en route to Camp Lewis, where it received its training, and will stop also at Seattle, it is announced.

More Coming.
 Washington, Jan. 18.—Assignments for early convalescee home from France of units comprising 250 officers and 6,500 men were announced to-day by the War Department. The units include the 11th Engineers complete; 372nd Infantry, medical detachment and Second Battalion; 371st Infantry, 15th and 16th Engineers and Third Evacuation Ambulance Company.

Charge Denied.
 Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Jan. 18.—Replying to a charge made by Chairman Cronie Allen of the Military Affairs Committee of the California Legislature, that Californian soldiers were being held here while Washington men were given the preference in the discharges, Division Officers to-day said it was untrue.

NEW CONSTITUTION FOR GERMANY PROPOSED

Amsterdam, Jan. 18.—The Ebert Government has under advisement a draft of a constitution for Germany prepared by Professor Preuss, according to The Aht Uhr Abendblatt, of Berlin, and has agreed to the fundamentals of the proposed constitution.

The federal character of Germany would be maintained and the country would be composed of a number of free states. At the head of the Government would be selected a President for ten years, with a Government of a Chancellor and Ministers. There would be a lower Chamber, or Volkshaus, elected by all the people, and a federal Chamber, the Staatenhaus, elected by the national representatives and the federal states.

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Notice is hereby given that provision has been made for houses to be built for purchase by honorably discharged soldiers or soldiers, or widows, or dependents of soldiers, on residential lots in SOUTH VANCOUVER. No charge is made for the land, but residence must be bona fide. Houses in accordance with the Regulations will be built.

Preliminary application on the form provided together with registration fee of \$10.00 must be filed previous to noon of February 10, 1919, at the office of the Government Agent at Vancouver.

The allotment of the homesites will be made on February 20, 1919, at the office of the Government Agent at Vancouver, by drawing in a manner to be determined by the Minister of Lands. Forms for application may be obtained at the Government Agent's Office, Vancouver, on and after January 20, 1919.

Application for building and selection of plan must be made by successful applicants previous to noon of February 23, 1919.

If necessary, priority will be given to the applications of widows and disabled returned soldiers according to degree of disability. Dependents of soldiers who have died in or on account of their service, according to degree of dependency.

A first deposit of \$10 will be required within three months from date of allotment and \$12.17 per month from date set for occupancy thereafter for 20 years for a \$1,500 house, or proportionately larger or smaller payments for houses of greater or less value.

Following are the "HOMESITES" offered:

D. L. 662.
Homesite No. 1, consisting of lots 1 and 2, Block 1.
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Homesite No. 3, consisting of lots 17 and 18, Block 4.
Homesite No. 4, consisting of lots 19 and 20, Block 4.
Homesite No. 5, consisting of lots 21 and 22, Block 4.
Homesite No. 6, consisting of lots 23 and 24, Block 4.
Homesite No. 7, consisting of lots 25 and 26, Block 4.
Homesite No. 8, consisting of lots 27 and 28, Block 4.
Homesite No. 9, consisting of lots 29 and 30, Block 4.
Homesite No. 10, consisting of lots 31 and 32, Block 4.
Homesite No. 11, consisting of lots 33 and 34, Block 4.
Homesite No. 12, consisting of lots 35 and 36, Block 4.
Homesite No. 13, consisting of lots 1 and 2, Block 5.
Homesite No. 14, consisting of lots 3 and 4, Block 5.
Homesite No. 15, consisting of lots 5 and 6, Block 5.
Homesite No. 16, consisting of lots 7 and 8, Block 5.
Homesite No. 17, consisting of lots 9 and 10, Block 5.
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Homesite No. 30, consisting of lots 35 and 36, Block 5.

Plans will be open for inspection after February 1 at the Government Agent's Office, Vancouver, from whom forms of application may be obtained. Further information may be obtained from:

MAJOR J. W. CLARK,
Superintendent,
B. C. Soldiers' Settlement,
Department of Lands, Victoria.

To the Electors

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I desire to express my thanks to all those who have voted for me and assisted me in my campaign in the recent election.

I fully appreciate the honor conferred on me, and will do my utmost to justify your confidence.

January 17, 1919. R. J. PORTER.

Victoria Public
Schools

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CHINAMAN INJURED
IN MILL MACHINERYMachine Strips Workman of
Clothes; Narrow Escape
From Instant Death

Caught in the machinery at Leigh & Son's Mill at about a quarter to nine this morning, Wong Sung, a Chinaman, was severely injured and stripped of every stitch of clothing on his body. He now lies in a serious condition at the Jubilee Hospital.

From what Constable Rogers, who attended, could gather concerning the accident, it seems that the Chinaman was working this morning on a machine which is used to cut slab wood. It appears that he somehow got caught in the revolving chain, and becoming tangled in the machinery, was roughly hauled along in his course. The chain belt would have inevitably pulled the victim against a circular saw which was then in operation, had not another workman, seeing the plight of his companion, stopped the machinery. The Chinaman was very badly cut, particularly about the head, and his body was terribly bruised by his contact with the steel belt. When he was taken from the machinery, not a stitch of clothing remained on his body.

The Cameron & Catwell ambulance, hastily summoned, took the Chinaman to the Jubilee Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Lennox. Recovery is thought to be a matter of doubt.

WILL PROSECUTE
CITY'S BUSINESS
WITH UTMOST ZEALMayor-Elect Porter Makes
First Statement in New
OfficeMANY MATTERS
TO RECEIVE CARE

"One of the first things that will receive my attention will be the arrangement of a transportation agreement with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company," said Mayor-Elect Porter, when speaking to The Times this morning. As evidence of his intention, the documents and papers connected with the matter were laid out in order on his desk.

Victoria's new Mayor has already expressed the opinion that the proposals submitted to the company for a basis of settlement are altogether too lengthy and cumbersome and he intimates that he will favor entering into a temporary agreement at once, if the details of a permanent understanding cannot be worked out with dispatch. It is considered not at all unlikely that the 1919 Council will agree at once to the principle of conceding the company the privilege of charging a six-cent fare in its city lines, in exchange for a reduction to six-cent light. This arrangement has been entered into in Vancouver, and it is believed that the same will be perfectly satisfactory here. The citizens of Victoria are at present paying eleven cents per kilometer.

"There are a number of matters that have been hanging over and I intend, if possible, to get everything cleaned right up to date, even if the Council has to be asked to work overtime," said Mayor-Elect Porter. "Not the least of these is the Johnson Street bridge question, and in this connection everything humanly possible will be done to settle this whole matter to the satisfaction of all. The people are sick of hearing it talked about, and they want to see something done or the discussion dropped."

Mayor-Elect Porter is anxious to see all old matters cleared off the slate, and an energetic assault made upon all vital questions affecting the present and future welfare of the city.

The naming of the various committees is also a matter which Mayor-Elect Porter was contemplating when The Times representative called upon him this morning, though he has not yet arrived at any conclusion as to the matter. Before making the appointments a consultation will be held with the members of the new Council.

The time for swearing in the Mayor and Aldermen has now been definitely set at 10.30 o'clock on Monday morning in the County Court, before His Honor Judge Lammiman.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred early this morning at her home, of Barbara Ross, aged twenty years and ten months, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross, of 1163 Cadonia Avenue. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, where a funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. W. Stevenson will officiate.

The death occurred this morning of Alfred James Jenner, aged thirty-one years. The late Mr. Jenner was a native of Sussex, England, and had been here for the past seven years. He leaves one sister and one brother in this city and one sister in England. The late Mr. Jenner was a member of the Knights of Pythias, Lady Smith Lodge. The remains will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel till Wednesday morning, when they will be shipped to Cobble Hill for interment.

Samuel Gage Moody, eldest son of Dr. F. G. Moody, of 1064 Fernberton Road, passed away at the family residence last night at the age of twenty-two years. He is survived by his parents, two sisters, the Misses M. and Dorothy Moody, and one brother, all living at home. The funeral will be held privately from the residence on Tuesday at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. J. G. Inkster officiating. No flowers are requested.

At Garden City Park yesterday the death occurred of John Henry Collier, aged thirty-five years. The late Mr. Collier was a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, and had been a resident of the city for the past seven years, and was a member of the A. O. U. He is survived by his widow and two children. The funeral will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. G. Inkster officiating.

Annie Lohr, wife of R. E. Lohr, passed away at her home at Prospect Lake Road yesterday at the age of nineteen years, a victim of influenza. The funeral will be held from the family residence on Monday at 10.30 o'clock. Rev. W. W. Northcott officiating. Interment will take place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

TO TALK ON TRADE
OF PACIFIC COAST

The prospects of trade competition on the Pacific during the years of reconstruction will be the subject of an address before the Canadian Club on next Tuesday by Octavius C. Beale, Imperial trade advocate and foreign commerce expert. The luncheon will be given at the Empress Hotel by the Canadian Club in conjunction with the Board of Trade, the Manufacturers' Association and the Retail Merchants' Association.

Mr. Beale is on his way to Australia after a visit to England. He has addressed a number of public meetings, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors.

CORPORATION
SUPPLIES

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, January 20, 1919, for the following supplies for the current year:

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STATIONERY

Specifications and particulars may be obtained at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on outside of envelope "Tender for....." the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Purchasing Agent,
Victoria, B.C., January 7, 1919.

NOTICE

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia
In the Matter of the Estate of Effie Williams, Deceased,
and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act."

NOTICE is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Gregory, dated the 31st day of December, A.D. 1918, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased, with the will annexed. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of January, A.D. 1919, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 12th day of January, 1919.
WILLIAM MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

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will be vociferous and enthusiastic but no warmer than the welcome back to the Canadian breakfast table of

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"MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ACT."
NOTICE
Municipality of Saanich
TO WIT.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of Saanich that a poll has become necessary at the election now pending for the same, and that I have granted such poll; and, further, that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said election, and for whom only votes will be received, are:

Surname	Other Names	Whether for Reeve, Councillor, School Trustee or Commissioner of Police.	For What Ward.	Abode.	Rank, Profession or Occupation.
DIGGON	Harold M.	Reeve	—	Parkview Drive	Printer
JONES	Charles Bentley	Councillor	1	Mount Tolmie	Contractor
HOBBS	Frank Vicker	Councillor	2	Cadboro Bay	Fruit Grower
WATSON	George Fraser	Councillor	3	Gordon Head	Fruit Grower
ELLIOTT	John George	Councillor	4	Cadboro Bay	Insurance Broker
PIM	James	Councillor	5	Glanford Ave.	Farmer
DOOLEY	Thomas	Councillor	6	2144 Millgrove St.	Stationary Engineer
LOWERY	Mrs. Isabella	Councillor	7	124 Gorge Road	Retired
ORR	Ernest	Councillor	8	12 Sims Ave.	Engineer
CAREY	William	Police Commissioner	—	Saanich Road	B. C. Forest Ranger
DEMPSTER	Patrick William	Police Commissioner	—	Maplewood Road	Blacksmith

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at Royal Oak, B. C., this 15th day of January, 1919.

R. R. F. SEWELL,
Returning Officer.CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT
Municipal Elections

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the Township of Esquimalt, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, on the 13th day of January, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors.

THE MODE OF NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll will be opened on the 13th day of January, 1919, at the Esquimalt Club for Wards One and Two and at the Store at the Corner of Arm Street and Craigflower Road for Ward Three from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR REEVE shall be, being a British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situate within the Municipality of the assessed value of five hundred dollars or more; or being a registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR A COUNCILLOR shall be, being a British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situate within the Municipality of the assessed value of the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of two hundred and fifty dollars or more; or being a registered judgment or charge, or being a homestead, leasee from the Crown or pre-emptor, who has resided within the Municipality for the space of one year or more immediately preceding the day of nomination, and who, during the remainder of said year has been the owner of said land, or homestead, leasee from the Crown or pre-emptor, or being a registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

Given under my hand at Esquimalt, B. C., the 4th day of January, 1919.
G. H. FULLEN,
Returning Officer.

CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT
Election of Commissioners of Police

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the Township of Esquimalt, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, on the 13th day of January, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing one person to represent them as a Commissioner of Police.

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CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT
Election of School Trustees

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THE MODE OF NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:

The Candidate shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll will be opened on the 13th day of January, 1919, at the Esquimalt Club for Wards One and Two and at the Store at the Corner of Arm Street and Craigflower Road for Ward Three from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., at which time and place each elector, who is duly qualified to vote, shall be entitled to cast one vote for one of the candidates for two candidates for members of the Board of School Trustees, but may cast one vote for each, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE shall be any person being a resident subject of the full age of twenty-one years, actually residing within the district and having been for three months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situate within the Municipality of the assessed value of the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of two hundred and fifty dollars or more; or being a registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

Given under my hand at Esquimalt, B. C., the 4th day of January, 1919.
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Having served as Councillor and Police Commissioner, 1916-1917, for Ward 2 I again ask you: vote and influence.

WILLIAM CAREY.

To the Electors in Ward 7
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VOTE FOR MRS. LOWERY

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Ward 6—Royal Oak, Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Ward 8—Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Ward 2—Telme School, Wednesday, 8 p.m.
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MEASURES AGAINST SINN FEIN WILL BE MADE MORE STRICT

Dublin, Jan. 18.—The Government, it is reported here, is about to issue a proclamation tightening the laws against the Sinn Feiners. Some months ago a proclamation was issued under the Crimes Act, declaring that the Sinn Feiners were dangerous. This was the necessary preliminary step to the suppression of the organization, but

no subsequent steps have yet been taken. Once a proclamation is issued suppressing the Sinn Fein it will be a crime to belong to the organization and the Government can prosecute any member and send him to jail. Imprisonment does not affect the Sinn Feiners unless they do not get their own way. They cause trouble in the prisons, and at present there is virtually a state of siege in the Mount Joy prison in Dublin because one Sinn Feiner is not treated as a political prisoner.

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MINERAL PRODUCTION SHOWS MORE THAN A FOUR MILLION DOLLAR ADVANCE FOR YEAR

Preliminary Review and Estimate Just Compiled Contains Some Interesting Comparisons; Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, Regards 1918 as a Favorable Year for British Columbia's Output.

Estimated mineral production in the Province of British Columbia during the year 1918 is placed at \$41,083,093, according to the Preliminary Review and Estimate released for publication by the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, this morning. The total estimated value of production for last year is therefore \$4,072,701 greater than that of 1917, or equivalent to an increase of approximately 11 per cent. Only once in the history of the Province's mineral statistics has this output been exceeded, and that was in 1916, when the year's mineral output amounted to \$42,290,462, only 2.0 per cent. greater than 1918. It must be remembered, however, that 1916 was a phenomenal year with metal prices temporarily inflated by the exigencies of war conditions. Nevertheless, Mr. Sloan points out, as compared with earlier years the production of 1918 shows up even more favorably. And as proof of this he cites the 1912 production of \$32,440,800, the next highest recorded production. The value of the products of the metalliferous mines in 1918 was about equal to the preceding year; the increase over all almost entirely made up by the products of the coaleries.

Little Labor Trouble.
Reference is made in the introductory review to the fact that labor troubles in the mines and at the smelters during 1918 were not numerous. The most serious one was in the Crow's Nest Pass field, the bone of contention there being the "single shift" system of operating coal mines. Spanish influenza also caused a considerable dislocation of the staffs and working forces generally throughout the mines and smelters of the province, and, as a natural consequence, production was seriously curtailed. Prospects for 1919, however, when metal and mineral prices again become stabilized, lead the Minister to predict a prosperous year for the mining industry in British Columbia.

Mineral Production for Two Years, 1917-18.

	Production, 1917.		Estimated Production 1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Gold, placer	24,300	\$ 496,000	15,400	\$ 308,000
Gold, lode	114,523	2,267,190	157,276	3,250,935
Total gold		\$2,863,190		\$3,558,935
Silver	3,929,316	2,365,749	2,886,861	2,601,120
Lead	27,207,465	2,951,008	43,949,561	2,944,837
Copper	59,007,565	16,038,256	63,387,010	15,981,945
Zinc	41,949,513	2,166,259	34,149,834	2,501,578
Total metalliferous		\$27,284,474		\$27,288,161
Coal	2,149,975	\$7,524,913	2,292,008	\$11,460,240
Coke	159,905	959,430	190,656	1,334,503
Total coaleries		\$8,484,343		\$12,794,743
Miscellaneous		\$1,241,575		\$1,000,000
Total products		\$37,010,392		\$41,083,093

Gold.
The recovery of placer gold for 1918 is estimated at \$308,000, of which practically all is obtained in the Cariboo and Cassiar districts, only about one-tenth of the total coming from the other sections. In 1917 the total value of placer gold amounted to \$496,000. While this shows a falling off, when compared with the previous year, the report suggests that a larger yield may yet be shown when the final returns of the season's operations have been received. During the last four years the production of placer gold in the province has steadily decreased. Economic conditions of high prices for labor and supplies are cited as the principal reasons for the falling off.

Lode Gold.
Estimated production of lode gold during the year 1918 is placed at \$2,863,190, as compared with \$2,267,190 for the year 1917, showing an increase of \$596,000, or thirty-seven per cent. In connection with the increase last year, credit is given to the entry on the producer's list of a new mine—the Surf Inlet property of the Belmont-Surf Inlet Mines—which made an output of about 43,000 ounces. The total estimated gold value, therefore, for the year 1918 is given in the report as \$3,558,935, as against \$2,863,190 for the year 1917.

Silver.
Silver produced during the year 1918 is estimated to have been about 2,886,861 ounces, valued at \$2,601,120, a decrease when compared with the production during 1917 of 42,355 ounces. The higher market value of silver, however, is responsible for the increased value of the output, which amounts to \$335,371. Mention is made of the production from the Slocan district as being again far in the lead of all other districts in silver production, the figure for Slocan and Slocan City representing no less than forty-seven per cent. of the total.

Lead.
In the case of lead, estimated 1918 returns show a production of 43,949,561 lbs., valued at \$2,944,837. This represents, as compared with the previous year, an increase in quantity of 6,642,195 lbs.; but owing to the lower market price of lead, the value of the total output showed a decrease of \$6,393. In explanation of this, it may be mentioned that the market price of lead rose and fell during the year; the average for January was 5.72 cents a lb.; in July a fixed price of 8.05 cents was established, that figure holding until the armistice was signed. Since then the lead market has been dull with producers holding large stocks, and very few sales being made. Fort Steele contributed practically half of the total production of lead, heading the list with an estimated output for the year of 19,340,900 lbs.; Slocan came next with 11,545,700 lbs.; Ainsworth, Windermere-Golden, Nelson and numerous small mines making up the balance.

Copper.
Copper estimated to have been produced in 1918 shows, as compared with the previous year, an increase in quantity. Owing to the lower market selling price, however, there is a natural decrease in value. Production for 1918 is estimated at 63,387,010 lbs., which is 4,379,445 lbs. greater than the 1917 output. The value for 1918 is estimated to be \$16,038,256, and when compared with \$16,038,256 made in 1917, shows a decrease of \$356,210. On

the other hand it is pointed out that there is an encouraging factor in the comparison because, notwithstanding lower market prices, the provincial production of copper shows an increase in the quantity of metal produced of about 7.4 per cent. over the previous year.

Referring to Copper.
The preliminary report observes that copper mining is now firmly established as the most important form of mining in the Province and from all indications it should maintain this place for years to come. In 1918 the value of the copper mined exceeded by over \$4,000,000 the combined values of all other metals mined. In addition to this, it may be mentioned that copper formed 38 per cent. of the total value of mineral production for the

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figures show an increase as compared with 1917 of 174,096 tons gross, and an increase of 142,093 tons net. The quantity of coke made was about 190,656 tons, or an increase of about 30,751 tons as compared with 1917.

For the purposes of comparison the following table is given showing the output each year from 1913.

Tons.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.
Coal, gross	2,572,811	2,398,715	2,485,580	1,972,580	2,196,428	2,570,760
Less made into coke	290,743	248,740	401,487	261,451	305,461	435,277
Coal, net	2,282,068	2,149,975	2,084,093	1,611,129	1,890,967	2,135,483
Coke made	190,656	159,905	267,725	245,871	294,577	286,045

District Coal Production.
Estimated production according to districts gives Vancouver Island collieries a total in long tons (2,240 lbs.) of 1,666,582 tons; the Nicola and

Similkameen Collieries, 174,278 tons; Crow's Nest District Collieries, 731,951 tons. The total estimated quantity of coal mined throughout the Province is therefore placed at 2,572,811 tons, out of which 280,743 tons were made into coke, leaving the net coal total at 2,292,068 tons. The district coke production is estimated as follows: From Vancouver Island Collieries, 24,653 long tons and from the Crow's Nest District Collieries, 166,993 tons, bringing the total coke output to 190,656 tons.

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